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## YEGG TOOLS AND EXPLOSIVE FOUND NEAR ROUTE 460

Two bottles of nitroglycerine, soap, an electric drill, steel and carbon drill bits, a back saw, a new sledge hammer, dynamite caps, fuse and flashlight batteries were found in a small ravine near the top of the Grassy Creek Hill just off US 460 last week by a Barker boy and a Ferguson boy who live near the foot of the hill.

The father of one of the boys called Sheriff Aaron Lykins, who went to the scene and brought the equipment to his office and called State detective Murvill Caudill of Morehead, who came and took all except the two bottles of nitroglycerine.

A state investigator from Frankfort came and analyzed the contents of the two bottles and said it was high power nitroglycerine. It is thought that this could be equipment that might have been used in the Campton Bank robbery Monday night of last week.

The nitroglycerine and burglar tools were hidden under brown paper in a ditch, the Barker and Ferguson said.

Robbers got \$2,040 in silver from the Farmers and Trades Bank in Campton Monday night of last week and left before they got into the main vault where the bulk of the bank's money was kept.

## MORGAN VOTES FOR BURLEY PROGRAM

Morgan county burley tobacco farmers voted 1467 to 119 in favor of retaining the burley allotment and price support program in the referendum held Thursday.

A two-third majority in the burley belt is needed to retain the program with supports at 90 per cent of parity. Morgan farmers favored the program by 81 per cent.

The vote in Morgan by communities was—

	For	Against
West Liberty	283	13
Lenox	235	13
Dingus	134	1
Ezel	242	26
Grassy Creek	182	43
Cannel City	201	18
Blairs Mills	200	5

## NEW OIL WELL IS BEING TUBED

Tubing was shipped in Tuesday and is now being placed in the new 10-barrel oil well drilled in recently on the Jay Young farm on Lower Sand Lick by J. L. Wright of Silverhill and R. C. Cantrell of Ashland.

Oil was struck in the Wier sand at a depth of 904 feet early this month. Arnold Rice of Magoffin county was the drilling contractor.

The well was shot last week in 34 feet of pay sand and the well was described as a 10 barrel producer.

Messrs Wright and Cantrell and their associates in Morgan and Boyd county are making plans to drill a second well on the lease.

## JANUARY SCHEDULE FOR HOMEKMAERS

Jan. 3—Pine Grove Mrs. Raymond Bryant, 1 p.m.  
Jan. 4—West Liberty Day, at Methodist church, 1 p.m.  
Jan. 5—Elamton, Church, at 1 p.m.  
Jan. 6—White Oak, Mrs. Laura Nell Allen, 1 p.m.  
Jan. 9—Grassy Lick, Mrs. Gerald Gevedon, 1 p.m.  
Jan. 10—Caneys, Mrs. M. H. Ferguson, 1 p.m.  
Jan. 10—Greene, Community hall, Mrs. Taylor, 1 p.m.

## In Of Morgan

### DR. H. B. MURRAY TELLS OF HIS OCEAN CRUISE

Dr. H. B. Murray of West Liberty returned recently from an ocean cruise on the Swedish-American liner Stockholm. Distinguished doctors and their families composed the cruise that visited many of the places in the Atlantic and South America.

The cruise was sponsored by Duke University School of Medicine and listed 330 passengers. Dr. Murray of West Liberty and Dr. Harmon T. Snider of Cincinnati were two doctors from Kentucky selected to make the cruise. The cruise was arranged to give post graduate courses.

This was the first time a large ocean liner has left Wilmington, N. C. and the first cruise on the ocean to give graduate courses. The course gave 25 hours credit to the doctors in medicine.

Dr. Murray left West Liberty Nov. 22 and returned Dec. 8. He (Continued on page four)

## NEW ROAD CREW IN MORGAN HIRED

The new highway maintenance crew for Morgan county began work last Thursday.

Lonnie Smith of Wrigley is foreman, Ed Combs of West Liberty is sub-foreman, and Russell Barker of Malone is timekeeper.

The operators are: Clifford Haney, Peyton; Adison Manley, Elamton; James H. Adams, West Liberty; Cell Nickell, Malone; Robert Lewis, Stacey Fork; Sam Osborne, Cannel City; Donnie Nickell, West Liberty; Donnie Mullins, Elamton.

The laborers are: Elwood Wilder, Wrigley; Joe Logan Gevedon, Grassy Creek; Logan Adams, White Oak; Kash Lykins, Caneys; Arvel Law, Zag; Chalmers Wilson, Maytown; Astor Barker, Caneys; Mose Evans, Lenox; Earl Leach, Ezel; Winfred Davis, Pompy; Winfred Kennard, Logville; James W. Wilson; Woodrow Perry, Pompy; Arthur Conley, Lenox; Edgar Coffee, West Liberty; Clay Byrd, Index.

In addition to the above, Ollan Perry of Blaine and Wilbur Ward of Ezel have been approved as weighmen.

Noah Greear of Greene and Ernest Onicy of Florence have been approved as inspectors.

Johnnie Spurrier, assistant district engineer of maintenance of Flemingsburg, was at the maintenance headquarters here Tuesday conferring with the men.

Walter Franklin, circuit court clerk, will be installed as president of the club this year.

President H. D. Potter told the club that he had received two letters from Representatives expressing themselves for the minimum foundation program in response to the resolution of the club has sponsored. One of the letters was from John B. Bruckinridge of Lexington and the other from Brooks Hinkle of Paris, Ky. The committee made reports of the year's work.

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## Yule Decorations In W. Liberty Judged By Woman's Club

Besides the Christmas lights on the streets, a number of houses and places of business were beautifully decorated for Christmas. As they have for several years, the Woman's Club had judges decide who had the most attractive arrangements.

For the most attractively decorated home they decided on Mrs. H. D. Potter, first, and Mrs. W. H. Wells, second. For the best decorated business house, the R.E.A. office first and the West Liberty Hospital, second.

To several people, the most impressive thing was the star atop the hill east of town which has been placed there each Christmas for several years, by the owner of the property, Fled Johnson.

While the Woman's Club sponsored the Christmas Tree and the scene of the Nativity on the court house square, they are indebted to the town authorities and members of the Kiwanis club for both money and labor, for which they extend thanks.

## KIWANIS OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED

New officers of the West Liberty Kiwanis Club will be installed by the Lieutenant Governor next Wednesday at 7 p.m. at Stamper's restaurant.

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## ELLIOTT HEADS MASONIC LODGE



Curtis Elliott of West Liberty was elected Worshipful Master of Highland Masonic Lodge of West Liberty at the annual election on Tuesday night. He succeeds Billie Day who has served as master the past year.

Other officers elected by the lodge are: Denzil Elam, senior warden; Harry Steele, junior warden; Warren Peyton, senior deacon; Clyde Henry, junior deacon; James Elam, secretary; William D. Phillips, treasurer; and Noah Elam and Orville Beuchler, stewards.

The Blue Devils will go to Wurtland Friday night to play Wurtland high school.

And on Saturday night they will be hosts here to Louisa high school.

The Devils have won eight games so far this season.

Natl. Farmers Union Insurance Available

National Farmers Union insurance is now available in Morgan county. Albert H. Dorsey of Ezel has been appointed agent in the county for National Farmers Union insurance and is now writing auto and farm liability insurance. He will soon have available all types of insurance coverage for the county.

The pet dog of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stacy was shot fatally by some mysterious person. Much concern has been raised by neighbors who wonder about their dogs' safety.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stacy, James and Darrell Havens of Chicago were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Havens and the Norman Stacys for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jones had as guests this week end Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Rice and Harry C. Jones, all of Chicago. From Fort Wayne, Indiana, there was Harold Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Buskirk have gone to Winchester to reside. Mr. Buskirk plans to go to Chicago to find work.

Mrs. Howard Smith is visiting her husband in Middletown, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennel and daughter Barbara Jean spent Saturday and Sunday nights with Mr. and Mrs. Lennell Jones. Those present for Christmas dinner at the Joneses were Mrs. Lula Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones and granddaughter Marita Reed, all of Greene; William Conley and Mr. and Mrs. Kennel of Cincinnati. In the afternoon the group visited Mrs. Myrtle Havens at Malone where they sang Christmas carols with the accompaniment of piano.

Ernest Perkins and his boyfriend were calling on Mrs. Lula Bailey last week.

Mrs. Rose Barker and Mrs. Ben Elam were visiting with the Bronson Barkers the 26th.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones have whooping cough.

Anell Barker is in from Middletown, O., visiting his wife and daughter.

Miss Frankie Evans and granddaughter Myrtle Havens, are visiting a few days this week with her aunt, Mrs. Lula Bailey.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gevedon were all present for Christmas dinner. They were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gevedon, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gevedon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haney and daughter. During the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hinton of Flemingsburg visited the Gevedons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lumpkins and children have moved to the vacant house owned by Craig Hamilton at Malone.

The Bronson Barker family has moved to the house of Lester Barker.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peyton Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stacy, Mrs. Leova Havens, Mrs. Hobart Ross and son Larry and Sue Stacy.

BECOMES MASTER MASON

Earl Duvall Smith, who is employed at Armo in Middletown, Ohio, was raised to a Master Mason by the Highland Lodge at its meeting Saturday night. He is a son of J. A. Smith of Twenty-six.

His brother, Wyck Smith, received his entered apprentice degree in Masonry at Maytown Lodge recently.

A CORRECTION

Mrs. Conrad Rowland was present at project leader meeting at Mrs. Orus Rupe's home at Ezel last week. The name was inadvertently omitted.

## Elliott 4-H'er Has Big Yield of Corn

Vaughn Porter, Elliott county 4-H boy, grew 186.9 bushels of corn on an acre. He used bottom land that had been in alfalfa for three years.

Then he followed the recommendations of County Agent Edgar Rice as follows: He had the soil tested. Then he applied 10 tons of manure and 500 pounds of 20 percent phosphate, before the land was turned in March to a depth of 10 inches. The land was disked four times before planting.

On May 22 Porter mixed 500 pounds of 10-10-10 with the soil. He added 500 pounds more when the corn was planted. Ky 103 hybrid corn was grown. It was thinned to about 10 inches in the row, which meant a stalk population of 18,392 on the acre.

So far this season burley checks in Morgan county have averaged \$601 each as compared to \$770 last year, a decrease of \$169 a check.

Local observers predict that Morgan's total income from burley for 1955 will be approximately \$1,750,000 as compared to last year's all-time record income of \$2,627,000, or a decrease of \$877,000.

Burley auctions will be resumed Jan. 3 after the holiday recess.

So far during the season Kentucky's 26 burley markets have sold a total of 252,024,728 pounds for \$149,745,272.12—an average for the pre-Christmas sales of \$59.41 a hundred. Price average for pre-Christmas sales last year was \$51.36.

Average prices paid at nearby markets so far during the season are Maysville \$60.14; Mt. Sterling \$60.42; Winchester \$59.35; Lexington \$60.66; and Paris \$59.53.

Among Morgan crops that sold above average prices the last week of pre-Christmas sales were these—

Tina Lewis and Willis Callahan, Blaine, 1950 lbs., \$61.23; John Crouch, Dan, 2430 lbs., \$61.26.

Crissie Lykins, Harper, 1530 lbs., \$60.18; Cecil Click, Lytten, 3030 lbs., \$62.42.

Edwards H. Bolin and Arlie New, Ezel, 1846 lbs., \$60.14; J. F. Ferguson & C. M. Ferguson, 2870 lbs., \$61.23.

Nancy Ferguson, Grassy Creek, 1390 lbs., \$61.10; S. B. Bryant & D. B. Wells, Mize, 2216 lbs., \$60.06.

J. D. Elam, Logville, 1106 lbs., \$61.00; John Patrick, Heleehawa, 3800 lbs., \$60.39.

J. W. & B. C. Howard & Owen Barnes, White Oak, 1448 lbs., \$60.42.

J. W. & B. C. Howard & Ellis Barnes, White Oak, 2136 lbs., \$60.46.

Bee Pelfrey and Victor Pelfrey, Lenox, 2714 lbs., \$62.23.

J. W. Hurt, Ezel, 1700 lbs., \$61.70.

James Allen, Winnie, 1232 lbs., \$62.35.

Monday Is A Holiday; Bank Will Be Closed

Monday of next week will be celebrated officially as New Years Day, and the Commercial Bank and most public offices will be closed that day.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Herbert Ferguson, 17, son of Oad Ferguson of Grassy Creek, and Shirley Puckett, 16, daughter of Green Puckett of Grassy Creek.

Ray Risner, 22, son of Boyd Risner of Cannel City, and Darlene Johnson, 15, daughter of Ezra Johnson of Malone.

Herschell Rowe, 25, son of Leslie Rowe of Ezel and Leatha Gunnell, 17, daughter of John Gunnell of Twenty-six.

Chas. Tackett, 28, son of Evert Tackett of Landsaw, and Opal Edwards, 33, daughter of Marion Edwards of Stillwater.

NOTICE

Owing to the fact that I will have to be in Frankfort, Ky. for a 60 day session of the legislature, I will not be able to make out any income taxes for 1956. And I have not prepared myself for making them out by studying the law or taking a course of training.

It is my understanding that all the other attorneys here in West Liberty, Ky. will be making them out after Jan. 1, 1956.

LYNN B. WELLS, Atty.  
West Liberty, Ky.

NOTICE

The Morgan County Health office will be closed Monday, Jan. 2, in observance of New Years Day.

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

It has been rumored that I am interested in securing the job now held by Dillard Murphy as chairman of the A. S. C.

This is to inform the public that I have not been and am not interested in his job and I would not have his job or any job in the office.

NOAH D. GREAR  
(Paid Adv.)



Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook  
in 1950

## M. F. HOLBROOK DIES AT AGE 87

Merida F. Holbrook, 87, retired Morgan county school teacher, merchant and one time school board member, died at 2 a.m. Wednesday at his home at Moon. He had been ill seven months.

Mr. Holbrook was born at Jephtha in eastern Morgan county in 1868, a son of Lieborn A. Holbrook and Frances Conley Holbrook. He had taught rural schools in Morgan county 53 years and one year in Lawrence county. He retired in 1943. He also had served as county examiner and as a member of the Morgan county board of education.

Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook lived with a daughter, Mrs. Cynthia Ellen Ferguson, merchant at at Moon.

He was married to Phoebe Ison, daughter of Dock Ison, Feb. 9, 1889. They observed their 66th birthday last February. Mrs. Holbrook survives. She is now 82 years of age.

Funeral will be conducted at the home at Moon Friday morning at 9:30 with Rev. Ave Bradley officiating, and interment will be in the family cemetery at Moon under direction of Potter Funeral Home of West Liberty.

Besides his wife and daughter, Mr. Holbrook is survived by a brother, Henry Holbrook of Coffee Creek, and two sisters, Mrs. Nancy B. Keaton of Moon and Mrs. Sallie Cox of Dingus.

Mr. Holbrook had taught at Laurel Fork and William Creek, Deeks Creek, Cindas Creek, Paint Valley and Crockett.

He served as county examiner for a number of years and at that time questions were sent to the county superintendents and the exam held by superintendent and two examiners. Certificates were issued on the basis of grades: 60% average being third grade, 75% being a second grade and 85% being a first grade certificate.

He also served as a member of the county board of education in Morgan county. Mr. Holbrook said his first school paid him \$176 for five months and he used the money to pay his expenses while attending school at Flat Gap in Johnson county. Principal was Prof. William Jayne, father of W. L. Jayne, who later was on the Morehead College staff.

When he retired in 1943 he started receiving teacher retirement funds. At that time he said he thought it was a fine thing when the last legislature raised the teacher retirement to \$40 per month.

Recalling his teaching days, Mr. Holbrook remembered many of his pupils who made good in life, especially Arnold Webb and Dr. J. F. Smith.

He was keenly interested in public affairs and had been a life-long Democrat. He once said, "The people now have so many good things and advantages and help from the government that I don't see how we managed to live before R.E.A., the farm programs, and the building of rural roads."

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## YOCUM

(By Cassie Lewis)

Dec. 26—J. D. Engle of Lexington spent Christmas here with his relatives, while his wife and little daughter were spending the holidays in Laredo, Texas, with her aged grandmother and other relatives. Mr. Engle returned Sunday evening to be near the airport and meet them there on their arrival home.

## In New York

Miss Mildred Walbur left Tuesday, Dec. 20, for Frankfort, New York, to spend the holiday season there with relatives and friends. Ollie Cooper and family of Ashland were guests Saturday of J. W. Cooper and Miss Clarissa Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Lewis and little son and Drexel Lewis of Shelby, Ohio, spent Christmas here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Lewis and Bobby.

Carl Fraley and family of Fairborn and Miss Gladys Peyton of Dayton spent Christmas here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Dyer of Newport spent Christmas here as guests of Mrs. Flotilla Lewis, Mrs. Wilma Joan Lewis and little son and others.

Elmer Lewis and daughter Janet Carol spent Christmas in Ashland with Mrs. Mattie Lewis and family. Onyx Lewis and two sons returned with them Sunday afternoon and visited briefly before returning Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Connor of Middletown, visited here through the holidays with W. H. Quicksall and family and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gene Lee of Pikeville and Jimmy Hurley of West Liberty visited here Saturday with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mary Engle of West Liberty spent Christmas here with her children.

Onyx Lewis of Ashland hunted in this section Friday and was dinner guest of Elmo Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DeVore of Jackson, Miss., visited here with Math Lewis and family Wednesday.

Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Elmer Lewis were J. D. Engle of Lexington, Mrs. Mary Engle of West Liberty, Onyx Lewis and Jim F. Engle and family.

Holiday guests of Mrs. Ella Howard were Mr. and Mrs. Warner Howard of Middletown and A. B. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fields and little son of Morehead visited on Monday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Fields and family.

To the Courier staff, its correspondents and its many readers I extend greetings for a happy and prosperous New Year.

The Bracken County Farm Bureau chorus has been invited to sing at the Industrial Musical Festival at Purdue University in Indiana.

Strawberry growers in Martin county attended a meeting which dealt with the digging and crating of plants for sale.

## No Snow Here



PALM SPRINGS, CALIF.—The swallows may return to Capistrano but the beauties return here. The one shown above is at the pool of the El Mirador with its famed Tower of the Stars in the background.

## LOGVILLE—

## LOGVILLE PAIR RE-WEDS HERE

LOGVILLE, Ky., Dec. 28—(By Ruby Elam)—Lester Pennix of Middletown, O., came in for the holidays and was re-united in marriage to his former wife, Bonnie Lou. We hope for them a happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Nickell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kennard and Ricky and Raymond Hammond of Middletown were week end guests here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Hassell Howard entertained with a chicken dinner Christmas day the following: Mr. and Mrs. Louie Howard and daughters and Johnnie Howard, Dayton, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Russell France, Russell and Hershel Howard and Vernie Howard and husband of Morrow, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson and Donna Gene of Wayne, Mo.; and Mrs. Claude Howard and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ersel Howard and Basil.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips of Indianapolis, Ind. were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elam. On Christmas Day the Phillipses and Elams were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Beuchimer of West Liberty and helped partake of an 18 pound roast turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Williams of Dayton spent the week end here with their parent. Manfred took his father, Lou Williams, to Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington Tuesday for a check up.

Ledger and Hassell Elam of Portsmouth, Ohio, came up Monday for a short visit with home folks and visited the grave of their father, George Elam.

Mrs. Nettie Rowland of Dingus and Dorothy Riggsby of Dayton visited Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Elam Sunday and also visited the grave of their father, George Elam.

Harlowe Adams of Cincinnati spent the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Flen Kennard. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trusty and children of Dayton spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zenus Franklin.

Flen Kennard, Charlie Howard and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Elam had business in West Liberty Tuesday.

## LICKING RIVER

(By Pearl Lewis)

Dec. 26—We are glad to report that Mrs. J. B. Wells is still improving and can walk with a little assistance. Holiday guests of the Wellses were Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Don Stacy and baby all of Dayton, O.; Mildred Wolfe of Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. Vane Wolfe of Lexington were unable to be here on account of a broken leg suffered by Mr. Wolfe in a car wreck.

Albert Fugate of Dayton, O., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fugate, the week end.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Math Lewis were Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Lewis and Ted Lewis of Dayton, Ohio, and Miss Hazel Carter of Middletown, O. Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Horton of Fairborn, Ohio, and Mrs. Horton of near Wrigley called on the Lewises Saturday.

Hecky Wells of West Liberty and on friends here Sunday.

Rev. Nevins of West Liberty had services at the schoolhouse Christmas Day.

We wish to thank the Courier staff for the nice greetings and wish for them a happy holiday season.

Courier Want Ads Pay!

## HOLIDAY—

## TRACE FK SCHOOL HAS PROGRAM

HOLLIDAY, Ky., Dec. 26—(By H. H. Holliday)—Trace Fork school, Harrison Holliday teacher, had its Christmas tree and program Dec. 23. Several patrons were present and Mrs. Myrtle Holliday. Sponsors of the school sent presents to all pupils, with each child receiving three presents—a book, toy and clothing. The parents were thrilled to have their children receive so many gifts and promised to do all they could the next four months to make this one of the best school years ever. Candy was served to all.

The 4-H club had its Christmas program Wednesday at Trace Fork. Carl Sinclair and Geraldine Cowan were present. The county agent praised Mr. Holliday and club members with Mrs. Polly Hopkins as their local leader for the work they are doing. The club will miss Geraldine Cowan as this will be her last meeting before she leaves to work in another county.

Trace Fork school was recessed until January 2 for a week's vacation.

Visiting here over the holidays were Elmer Singleton of Bellevue, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adams and daughters of Middletown, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ross of Norwood, O., Mr. and Mrs. Hatter Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Gilliam and Wendell Gullett, all of Ohio.

Harrison Holliday and Elmer Singleton spent Dec. 26 with Mr. and Mrs. Armel Hopkins of Mathew and enjoyed a delicious dinner.

Formation of an egg cooperative marketing association is creating interest in chickens in Bullitt county.

A total of 1400 feeder lambs were brought into Fulton county in one month.

## Crain's Warehouse Now Open

Plenty of Room—Unload the Day You Arrive

## CRAIN'S Tobacco Warehouse

Maysville, Ky.

Phone: LOgan 4-5858

## GREEK

(By Faye Havens)

Dec. 27—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Havens Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stacy and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Havens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Easterling and son Billy Lynn, Kenny Jones, Buck Jones, Darrell Havens and James Havens.

Mrs. Carl Havens, daughter Faye, Mrs. Hobart Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Havens, Mrs. Scott Easterling and son Billy Lynn were at Curt Adams Saturday. Buck Jones and James Havens of Chicago went to Pikeville Sunday morning.

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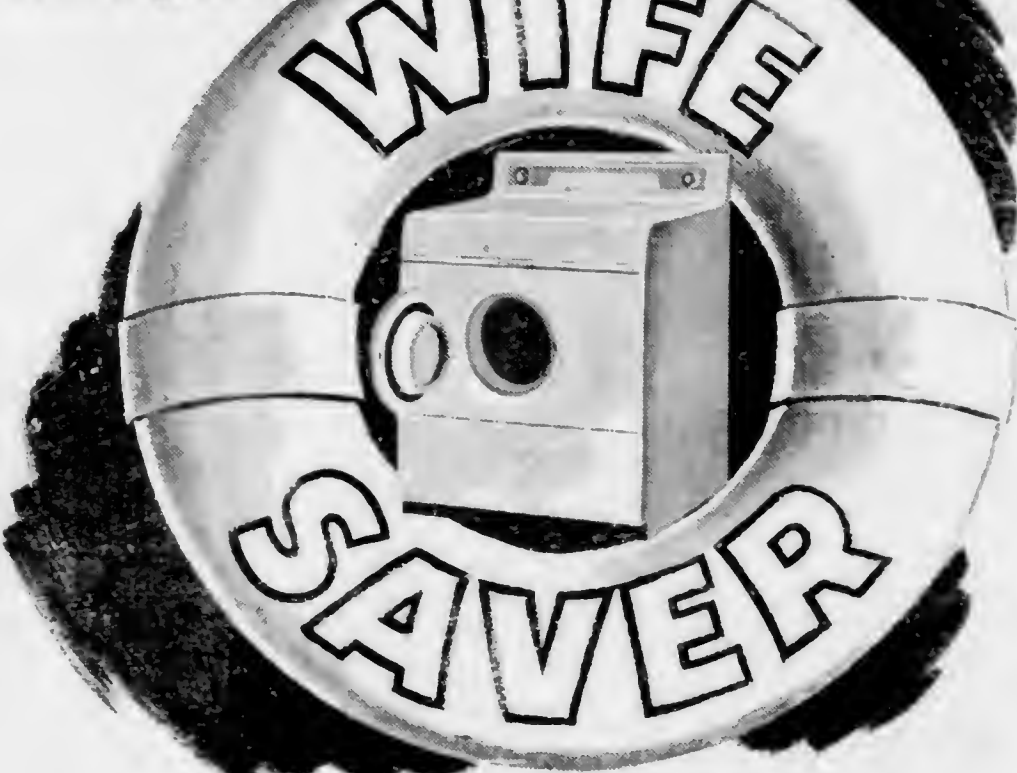
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## LENOX

(By Estelle Caskey)

Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitte of Fairborn, Ohio, spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Doan Caskey and also visited at Wrigley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Kenel Williams and baby of Fairborn, Ohio spent the holiday week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Trimble and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins and family, Long Branch.

Mrs. Addie McClain, who has been ill for some time, remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Williams visited one day last week Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hill and Mrs. Lina Hill of Relief.

Jim Ezra and Wanda Lee Caskey spent several days last week in Morehead visiting Mrs. Maggie Caskey.

Those calling on Mrs. Addie McClain Monday were Mrs. Katie McClain, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Allen of West Liberty, Mrs. Mary Alice Hutchinson and Mrs. Ruby Caskey of Lenox.

Mrs. Donald Caskey and Louise spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ames Davis of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan McClain left Monday for California where they will spend the winter.

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## CROCKETT—

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CROCKETT Ky., Dec. 27—(By Mrs. Lee Skaggs)—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Skaggs are in Berea this week for a series of lectures sponsored by the Ford Foundation.

Mrs. James Hutchinson and Michael are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wash in Lexington this week. Miss Clotie Ferguson who is attending Morehead College, is home with her folks during the holidays.

Merida and Emerson Fyffe are visiting their parents over the holidays. Merida is employed in Ohio and Emerson is in Morehead College.

Pvt. Hill Keeton of the army is home on 10 day leave from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Bunch Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lewis, is home from Indiana, where he is employed, for the holidays.

Last Friday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutchinson and Michael were Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Ison of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ison and Paul and Darrel Hutchinson.

Rev. and Mrs. Myron Amstutz are visiting their parents in Ohio during the Christmas holidays.

Last Monday night callers of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutchinson and Michael were Mrs. Earl Adkins and son, Clifford Lyons, Mrs. J. E. Williams, Jr. and children, Mrs. Winfield Hutchinson Roger Ison and Arlene Kelly.

Wendall Hutchinson, who is employed in W. Paducah, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Hutchinson, during the holidays.

Roy Ferguson of New Castle, Ind., visited his brother, Rufus and family during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chiles Hutchinson called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Skaggs Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Holbrook, who have been listed with the sick for some time, are slowly improving.

Isaac Ferguson (Little Ike) is home with his wife and children for the holidays. He is employed in E. Chicago, Ind.

Curtie Ferguson of Lexington spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ferguson of Moon.

Rufus Ferguson and Stanley Ball took a load of tobacco to Maysville Sunday night.

This writer would like to acknowledge the card and thanks she received from Mrs. Guy Blanton for writing the news in the Courier. Mrs. Blanton the former Mary Anna Skaggs of Morgan county, now resides in Canton, Ohio.

Isaac Ison, Jr., who is attending UK in Lexington, is home for the holidays with his parents at Moon.

This writer and husband, Lee Skaggs, would like to wish the Courier, its staff, its many readers and our many friends a very happy and prosperous New Year.

Logan Gilliam spent Thursday night and Friday with his brother, Mr. Marion, of Star.

Rev. and Mrs. Revis Lyons of Ft. Campbell spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lyons of Crockett, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burchett of Relief.

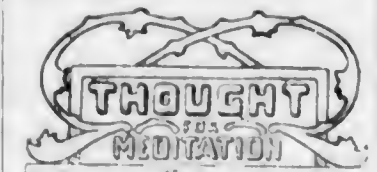
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## NOTICE

## TO TAXPAYERS

Your 1955 State, County and School Taxes are now due and payable. A penalty of 2% will be added after Dec. 31.

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## CANBY

(By Astor Barker)

Dec. 27—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Perkins, a daughter Ernest Perkins of the U. S. Navy spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Craft.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Spencer were Pfc. Herbert Spencer of the Army, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Spencer and Corbett Spencer of Seth, W. Va.

## Visitors In Ohio

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper are spending a week with their children at Middletown, Ohio. Their son, Gary Lee, who is with the Air Force in New York, will join them there a few days.

Miss Venus Oney of Happy was week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Oney, and left Monday to visit in West Virginia, but will return here in a few days to see her brother, Ervin Oney, who is expected to return this week after serving in the army in Tokyo.

## Visitors From Chicago

Mitchell, Everett and Jack Watson of Chicago spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Minor Watson.

J. H. Coffey is visiting this week with relatives in Cincinnati.

Denzil Barker of Felicity, Ohio was Saturday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Fugate of Chicago visited relatives here for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Barker and children and Pesta Barker of Lockland, O. were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Caudill of Malone were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Litteral.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ison of Cincinnati spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ison.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Morris and Mrs. Beulah Barker visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Tackett at Olive Hill.

Larue Peyton of Louisville was calling on Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Morris Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hammond of Morrow, Ohio, called on Mr.

and Mrs. G. L. Patrick Saturday. Mrs. Myrtle Benton and children are visiting this week in Ohio.

Withrow and Bonnie Morris of Germantown, Ohio, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ren Morris.

Jim Adams is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Denval Williams and Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Williams at Middletown, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Haney of Dayton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Elam.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones of Dayton, O. were week end guests of Susie and Rinda Coffey.

Ray Litteral student of Morehead State College, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Litteral.

Lowell Dean Craft, who attends high school at Frenchburg, is on Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Craft.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Blankenship and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Oney are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Oney and Mr. and Mrs. Curt Oney.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Tipton of Ashland were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Bertha Tipton.

Gordon Mills of Lockland, O., was week end guest of his mother, Mrs. Bessie Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elam of Dayton, Ohio, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Oney and Mr. and Mrs. Green Elam.

## GRASSY CREEK

(By J. M. Gevedon)

Dec. 26—A number of young friends took dinner at Stamper's restaurant Saturday in honor of Master Jerry Gevedon on his ninth birthday. Among those present were Jay Mike Burton, Danny Joe Gevedon, Hank Gardner, Johnnie Conover, Darrell Fairchild, Barrett Frederick, David Hinton, Dianna Joe Haney, Barbara Walsh, Frances Rose Gevedon.

Those meeting at the old home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gevedon during Christmas week end were Mrs. Sam Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ferguson and family of Clonawar; Mr. and Mrs. John Cundiff, Salem; Ed Gevedon and

boys and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stamper, West Liberty; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gevedon and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gevedon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blevins and Johnnie Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Motley, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gevedon met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Ferguson for Christmas, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferguson and family spent the Yuletide with the J. B. Mays family at Woodsbend.

Visitors with the Walker Haney Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James Tyree of Index.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gevedon, Mrs. J. W. Haney, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gevedon and children shopped in Lexington last Monday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Merrill Peyton and children are home from France and visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Peyton.

The Grassy Lick Sunday school met last Friday night on business and for the exchanging of gifts.

All but one of our children were in home to attend the usual Christmas tree and partake of the Christmas dinner. Well, we ate the big turkey and the trimmings and all had an enjoyable time.

Nina Gevedon remained to be with the old folks at home for a week.

Aunt Jeston Gevedon wishes to thank the Courier staff and the Potter Funeral Home for the beautiful potted poinsettias and other ornaments that now sit by her bedside. She is sorry that she is unable to answer all the nice greeting cards she has received.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gabbard, two daughters and two grandchildren were here Sunday visiting Aunt Jeston Gevedon.

## NOTICE TO PERSONS WITH PARKING TICKETS

Persons who have not paid the 25c for tickets given them for overtime parking on West Liberty streets should do so before Dec. 31, because all parking tickets not paid by Jan. 1 will be raised to \$1 after Jan. 1. The extra 75c will be the penalty for failing to report promptly.

JOHN H. HELTON 12-22-21 Police Judge

## GORDON FORD

(By Margaret Conley)

Dec. 26—Joseph D. Allen and son's car was hit by a truck last Tuesday as they were on their way to Lexington. The truck was driven by Grover Frederick's employee.

Guests of June Crace and Augusta Jenkins at Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jenkins and children of Greenup. They presented their parents with several gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jenkins and children visited his mother, Mrs. Minnie Jenkins and sister, Lovena. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Howard Saturday.

Kash Allen, who has been in Veterans Hospital for some time, was home over the Christmas holidays. He will go back to the hospital Jan. 3. He was some better.

Mrs. Doris Adkins had as guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Kash Allen and children of West Liberty, Lorene Perkins and Boob Conley.

Burned With Gasoline Billy Helton, son of Anne Helton, was seriously burned Thursday with gasoline. He had helped his brother clean a gas line out on a truck. He got some gasoline on his clothes, then lit a cigarette and got on fire. He started to run and his brother had to get Billy's clothes off. He is in the West Liberty Hospital now.

Mrs. Billy Allen and Danny spent Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Adams of Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fodder Williams visited the Allen family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blanton of New Boston, Ohio, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Blanton.

My father-in-law, Charley Conley, will be 82 years young Friday. He has been sick for some time.

Series E and H Savings Bond sales in 1954 totalled some \$4.9 billion. That was more than half a billion dollars above their sales in 1953. Individuals bought all of those bonds, saving to build a brighter future for themselves and their families.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Beachel Bailey, 21, son of Jack Bailey of Campton, and Anna Lawson, 21, daughter of William Lawson of Valeria.

James Brooks, 23, son of Henry Brooks of Cottle, and Phyllis Litteral, 19, daughter of Sam Litteral of White Oak.

Luther Hunt, 27, son of Carmie Hunt of Blaze, and Paulina Callahan, 16, daughter of McKinley Callahan of Blaze.

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### FARM PROBLEMS, OLD AND NEW

From Progressive Farmer

One of the most persistent fallacies that seems to be in the minds of many people is that farm surpluses are something new . . . and that our farm price problem has developed only during the years that we have had a federal farm program.

These people are either too young to remember or too lazy to find out. It should be apparent to anyone that there never would have been a federal farm program in the first place if farmers hadn't been in a desperate situation.

There is nothing political about the farm problem. The Republicans claim that farm prices were already on the way down when they took over in 1933. That is true. But when they say the farm price problem developed while the Democrats were in power, they are conveniently forgetting what happened to farm people during the long years they ran the Government. It was the loss of farms and the failure of rural banks in the twenties that had a vital part in the total collapse of our national economy in the early thirties. The situation for farm people was unfavorable in the twenties and became so desper-

ate in 1933 that there had to be a federal farm program . . . or else.

We had periodic cotton surpluses prior to 1933. Anyone who was farming in 1914, 1920, 1926 or 1932 knows what surpluses did to cotton prices in those years. The only difference between now and then is that now farmers have some protection. They don't lose everything they own when by the grace of God and good farming they make extra-big crops. They are no longer penalized so heavily for producing abundantly. And that is the way it should be. Abundant production is a good thing for a nation, even though it is sometimes expensive. If you don't think so, take a good close look at Russia . . . or even Great Britain, where a good part of what the nation makes on world trade goes out of the country to pay for the food and fiber its people must have.

### 'HOG MEAT' STILL HIGH

The Bureau of Labor Statistics reported recently that pork chops that sold for 77 cents a pound in 1948 were selling for 81 cents a pound, while farmers who got 233 cents a pound for their hogs in 1948 were getting only 122 cents this year. Somebody's eating "high on the hog" and it isn't the farmer.—Lexington Herald.

A wise woman makes her husband feel he's head of the house when he's only chairman of the entertainment committee.

After a woman driver has parked her car, her big problem is which of the three parking meters she should put her nickel in.

Many men who proposed on their knees have spent the next 10 years trying to get back on their feet.

Now that they've made cigarettes less irritating, I wish they'd start working on the commercials.

Little girls count on their fingers; big girls count on their legs.

### IN OL' MORGAN

(Continued from page one)  
said they left Wilmington Nov. 23 and landed at Port au Prince, Haiti, a distance of 1200 miles. There are only about 15,000 whites on the island. It is one of the two Negro republics in the world. Dr. Murray said they motored across the island and were treated wonderfully nice.

They next sailed to Cartagena in Columbia, South America. Columbia is as large as Texas, California, Massachusetts and Connecticut combined. It is the second largest producer of coffee in the world. The country was ruled by Spain for 300 years. Under the leadership of Simon Bolivar, the great liberator, the people secured their independence from Spain in 1810. Dr. Murray said that Cartagena was sacked in the 16th century by buccaners. In 1741 an English squadron under Admiral Vernon attacked the city and with him was a company of volunteers from Virginia, commanded by Captain Lawrence Washington, a brother of the first President of the United States George Washington, who named his estate Mount Vernon in honor of the English Admiral.

The third stop was San Blas Islands. It was on these islands that Balboa stopped on his way to the Pacific.

The fourth stop was at Panama. They entered at Cristobal and sailed through the canal to Panama City. The building of the canal was one of the most remarkable engineering feats in the world. The San Blas Islands are 80 miles off the coast. They are inhabited by Indians and when the ship landed there the children and Indians gathered around

the boat. They are expert swimmers and divers and would dive after coins pitched into the water. The people of the island are quite friendly. However, they are suspicious of strangers, and on the island doctors were told that no alien ever married a San Blas woman and that their race is as pure as when Columbus discovered America. The women wear their native costumes and their noses are pierced by rings. They marry young. The parents find a husband for their daughters and she is not consulted.

Their fifth landing was at Jamaica and cars took them to the island to the beautiful hotel where Churchill has often spent his vacation.

Dr. Murray said that a newspaper was printed aboard the ship each day and a daily program of what was going on each day supplies each person aboard. He made many movies of the trip and, when developed, promised that we might see them. All in all, he said it was a most wonderful trip and he made his credits

BERNARD E. WHITT

### A PLEASANT VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Lewis of Licking River were pleasant visitors in the Courier office the day before Christmas. Mr. Lewis, who is 85 years old, is a son of Henry C. Lewis and Cordelia Perry Lewis, pioneer Morgan citizens. Mr. Lewis has a copy of an old Indian warfare history entitled "Redskins and Whites" that was handed down to him by his grandfather, Daniel Perry. The book is about 150 years old and is in good condition, leather

bound. He also has his father's old squirrel rifle and powder horn. Mrs. Lewis is 80 years old. They were in town shopping Saturday and came to the Courier office to renew their subscription.

### 70 NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS

The Courier received 70 new subscriptions during December. Most of them were gift subscriptions sent by thoughtful friends. Elder R. H. Ferguson of Dingus sent out five gift subscriptions to lead the field. And Mack Lewis and Roland Stacy of West Liberty and Ernie Bolin of Lebanon, Ohio, each sent three.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Rosa McKenzie and Larry spent last week in Dayton visiting relatives. Mrs. McKenzie returned a revival meeting in which her son, Johnnie McKenzie was converted.

Larry McKenzie returned to Richmond Monday where he is attending Eastern State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fairchild of Dayton spent the holidays in Morgan and visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Alderson Williams.

### THANKS

Rev. and Mrs. Harlen Murphy wish to take this method through the Licking Valley Courier of expressing their appreciation and many, many thanks to their many friends and neighbors for the nice gifts and Christmas greetings received, which make the two of us very happy. Here is wishing each of you a happy and prosperous New Year.—REV. & MRS. HARLEN MURPHY.

### BUILDS BROODER HOUSE

Thurman Jones of Whitley City has built a brooder house for 5,000 chickens, using University of Kentucky plans.

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### NEW FORD GARAGE BUILDING CONSTRUCTED HERE



A new Ford garage at West Liberty, costing \$35,000, has just been constructed by the West Liberty Lumber Company for Rex McGuire. The building is 60x126 feet and the shop is 40x60 feet. Constructed of concrete and steel, the building is practically fireproof. The front show window can display four or five cars and tractors.

The parts department has a stock of almost any part desired or needs by Ford or other make cars. The department in charge of Drexel Vest is well organized

The building is lighted with 22 fluorescent lights and heated with overhead heaters. There are excellent rest rooms. There is a space upstairs for storage.

The location is across the street from the old location and plenty of parking space and a large used car lot. There are usually 25 to 50 new and used cars to select from.

Rex McGuire purchased Herbert Wells' part in the garage in 1947 and Norman Sheetz in 1949. The old garage across the street is being used for storage and a body shop.

They also have a used car lot at Salversville in charge of Clarence Black. They handle farm tractors, trucks and cars.

Employees of the garage are Drexel Vest, manager of parts department, Donnie Patrick, Cannel City, shop foreman, Lonnie Patrick, Cannel City, body mechanic, Mrs. Thelma McGuire, bookkeeper, Bud Elam, Tennyson Black, Carl Weddington, Roger Black, John Frank Lattal, mechanics, Clay Walten and Clarence Black, salesmen.

### ISONVILLE— FORD SKAGGS BUYS TRAILER

ISONVILLE, Ky., Dec. 23—Mr. and Mrs. Ford Skaggs of Fannin have purchased a new house trailer and moved into it.

Born Dec. 11, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Milf Lawson of Gimlet.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Dickerson and Lois shopped in Huntington Saturday.

Box Cox and Edd Welder of Blaine are drilling for oil and gas on Dewey Kelly's farm.

Mitchell Whitley and family of Ohio visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Pat Ison and Mrs. Charles Mobley shopped in Grayson Saturday.

Jess Mason, Mrs. Lillie Ridgeway and Kansas Mason visited John Ridgeway, a patient in the Louisville Veterans Hospital, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Buckner are visiting among their children in Ohio.

Billy Mason, small son of Kansas Mason, is a patient in the hospital at Paintsville.

Dewayne Kelly left for the Army last week. He is Dewey Kelly's son.

Billy Patrick owns a Chevrolet pickup truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rose announce the birth of a son—Jeffrey. Mrs. Rose is the former Willa Faye Kelly of Blaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Kansas Mason and son and Wanda Mason were in Paintsville Saturday.

Cecil Lewis owns a 1955 GMC truck.

Mrs. Edgar Woodbridge and Mrs. Darrius Newell and children of Ohio were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Adkins.

Vern Lewis of Morehead visited H. E. Lewis and family Saturday.

Mrs. Guy Blair is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wheeler in Florida. Mr. Wheeler is ill.

### 58th BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

Mrs. Polly Ann (Pud) Hartsock of Dayton, Ohio, celebrated her 58th birthday Nov. 20 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Finley Ritchie, 185 North Union Road, Dayton, Ohio. A bountiful and delicious dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hartsock and five daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ramsey of Piketon, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brown and six children of Fairborn; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wiley and two children, Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Buck, Mr. and Mrs. Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Ritchie of Dayton; Mrs. Ruby Wills of Middletown; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Nickell, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kousler and three children of Germantown. Mrs. Hartsock received many gifts, and everyone wished "Aunt Pud" many more happy birthdays.

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### HELTON SUFFERS SEVERE BURNS

Bill Helton, 18, who lives on US-460 at the Day Hill east of West Liberty, is a patient in the West Liberty Hospital after being seriously burned last Friday when gasoline on his clothes caught fire while lighting a cigarette.

Helton, with his brother, Gus Helton, had blown out the gasoline feed pipe on a truck and some of the gasoline blew back on Bill's sweater.

About 20 minutes later while inside the cab of the truck, he struck a match to light a cigarette and fumes from his gasoline-laden clothes caught fire. He was burned from the waist up.

Helton was taken to the West Liberty Hospital where he is being treated for severe burns.

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### MASONS ELECT NEW OFFICERS DURING WEEK

Anderson Williams was elected Worshipful Master of Elkfork Lodge at the annual election held this week. The other officers elected by the lodge are J. A. Beuthimer, junior warden, Anthony Beuthimer, junior warden, Woodrow Williams, secretary, Victor Pelfry, treasurer, Wendell Bradley, senior deacon, Stanley Hane, junior deacon, Hager Hamilton and Lonza Hebbrock, stewards; and Arthur Conley, Tyler.

Greenview Masonic Lodge at Caney elected Ronald Perkins as Worshipful Master, Roger Phlips as senior warden, Hager Arnett, Jr., junior warden, and Lee Perkins, secretary.

Ezel Masonic Lodge elected Fred Mays Worshipful Master, E. O. Carr, senior warden, Billy Joe Motley, junior warden, Ellis Ward, treasurer, Dillard Murphy, secretary, Albert Dorsey, senior deacon, Ronald McGuire, junior deacon, Dillard Wells, Tyler, and Roy Wallace, chaplain.

Survivors are a son, Everlie Kash, Middletown, Ohio, a daughter, Mrs. Fay Wells, Ezel, two brothers, Elie McGuire, Ezel, and Asa McGuire, Middletown.

Services were held at the Presbyterian church, Ezel, at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday by the Rev. Orus Rupe and the Rev. John Hexkoop. Burial was in Ezel cemetery. Bearers were Kash Salver, Perry Linkous, Larry Salver, Ronald McGuire, Edman Hatfield and Dr. Roy M. Kash.

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### POTTER FUNERAL HOME AMBULANCE CALLS

Dr. 22—Hank Nickell from the West Liberty Hospital to St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Dec. 22—Mrs. Mary Wilson from home at Wrigley to Frenchburg Hospital.

Dec. 22—Mrs. Juanita Adams from West Liberty Hospital to St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Dec. 24—Hank Nickell from the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington to the West Liberty Hospital.

Dec. 24—Ernest Whitt from home to the West Liberty Hospital and returned.

Dec. 25—Mrs. Rayburn McKenzie and son of Dayton, Ohio, from wreck at Isonville to Paintsville Hospital.

Dec. 25—Mrs. Betty Perkins, Ruth McCormick and Bill Harp of Hindman and Colonel Robertson of Hazard from wreck at Pamp to the West Liberty Hospital.

Dec. 25—John Brown, father of Berlyn Brown, from West Liberty Hospital to St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Dec. 26—Mrs. Juanita Adams from St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington to West Liberty Hospital.

### SPECIAL SERVICES HERE

Rev. Peggy Ann Craft and Rev. Archie Coons, both of Lexington, will preach at special services in West Liberty this week end. On Friday night and Saturday night at 7 o'clock they will conduct services at the Broadway First Church of God. After the Saturday night service, the group will go to the Christian church at 11 o'clock for a special watch church service. Then on Sunday morning at the regular worship hour Rev. Craft and Rev. Coons will preach at the Christian church. These services will be inspiring to everyone. The public is invited.

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## Society -- Personals

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Virginia Longabaugh, student nurse at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, spent the holidays at her home here.

Mendie Litteral, Wanda Barker, Charles R. Clevenger and Wilma Litteral were shopping in Huntington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Lewis of Licking River were visitors in the Courier office Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Williams and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Williams and little daughter, Damae, of Fairborn, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins over the holiday week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocal Williams and daughter of Vandalia, Ohio, visited a whole Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haney and children Jo Ann and Ronnie Carl of Springfield, Ohio, spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haney and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gevedon.

Mr. Emma Goodpaster is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haney.

Rev. and Mrs. Shirl D. Davidson and little daughter of Versailles came Sunday and spent three days with Mrs. Davidson's parent, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyler.

Mrs. Lucy M. Davis had as her Christmas guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Davis of Dayton, Ohio and Miss June Brewer of Trenton.

Clyde Daniels of Louisa was here Monday and purchased a truck from McGuire Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Terrell spent Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Corbett Terrell at Cannel City.

Mr. Ruby Elam, postmaster at Logville, was a caller at the Courier office Tuesday.

W. O. Pelfrey of Louisville was here for the Christmas holidays with his family.

Atty. and Mrs. Richard Hinton and children of Flemingsburg spent Christmas Day here with Mr. Hinton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gabbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood Elam and daughter Sue of Morehead spent Christmas Day here with Mrs. Loula Belle Elam and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kinney and son David of Ashland visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Kinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hen F. Nickell had as Christmas day guests Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blewins and baby of Russell, Pa. Larry Blewins of Fort McPherson, Atlanta, Georgia, and Clifford Blewins of Sandy Hook.

Coach and Mrs. Carl Burton of Dayton, Ohio, came Saturday and spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stacy at Stacey Fork, and other relatives, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Elam, Brenda and Gary Mrs. Alma Bellamy and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipley went to Morehead Christmas day and were guests for dinner of Mr. and Mrs. George Caskey. Other guests of the Caskeys were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bellamy, Mrs. Mattie Thompson and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wells and son Roger of Dayton visited his mother, Mrs. Wells and sister, Juanita Adams, Monday. Mr. Wells has been employed at Patterson Air Base 12 years. They also visited Mrs. Lula Peyton at Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dabney and daughter Donna of Corinth, Miss., visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipley during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bellamy of Louisville visited his mother, Mrs. Alma Bellamy and others here during Christmas.

Pat Murphy, student at Asbury College, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murphy.

Mrs. Juanita Adams, employee at West Liberty Hospital, submitted to surgery last Thursday for appendicitis. She was returned to the hospital Monday much improved.

Lacy Vance from Paintsville called at the Courier office Saturday and subscribed for the Courier. His son Homer, is living in Arlington, Va. and operates a service station. Palmer is in Germany, and Hendrix is in Liverpool, N. Y. Millard Vance resides at Paintsville. Mr. and Mrs. Vance visited her brother, Henry Cottle, at West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Elam, Brenda and Gary Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipley and Mrs. Alma Bellamy visited Mr. and Mrs. George Caskey at Morehead on Christmas Day.

Mrs. L. P. May, mother of Byron May who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital at Lexington, was at the Courier office Tuesday and reported Byron to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Franklin of Malone and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Williams and daughter Faye were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Franklin.

Dr. and Mrs. Alice Spence have moved to their new home below town. Mr. and Mrs. Clay Walton have moved to the house vacated by the Spencers, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sinclair have moved to the house vacated by the Waltons.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Lykins, Muriel Williams and daughter with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hamilton at Malone during Christmas.

Earl Short is home on a furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Short.

Clyde Daniels of Louisa visited in West Liberty Monday.

Clint Ferguson of Hazard spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wilson at Grassy Creek.

D. B. Wilson is employed at Lockland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Perkins and Bess Cox of Louisville visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Perkins during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stovall of Hazel Green and his mother and son, James Stovall and his wife, were dinner guests Tuesday of Rev. and Mrs. J. Ryan Nevius. Mr. Stovall is a former superintendent of Hazel Green Academy and is now at Peabody College in high education. Mrs. James Stovall is the daughter of Dr. Raymond McLain, former president of Transylvania College, Lexington, and now president of Cairo University, Cairo, Egypt.

West Liberty Attorneys W. Major Gardner, J. Blaine Nickell and John Gabbard were in Lexington Wednesday and Thursday attending a school given by the U. S. Internal Revenue Service on federal income tax and social security tax.

Manford Bays of Louisville spent Christmas with Mrs. Hattie Bays and family.

Atty. and Mrs. Herbert L. Rose spent Christmas week end here with their parents.

A delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Allen of 720 Middle Street, Fairborn, Ohio, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holbrook and children, James Adkins and Jas. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adkins, Brenda, Greg and Gail Adkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Lenville Adkins and sons of Richmond, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Barber entered a dinner Thursday evening of last week. Atty. and Mrs. J. Blaine Nickell and Atty. and Mrs. Ralph Walker and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Barber and Janie spent last Sunday and Sunday night with Mrs. Barber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Williams in Lawrence county.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barber of Lexington came last Thursday and are spending a ten-day Christmas vacation here with relatives.

Supt. and Mrs. Ova O. Haney and children, Ova Jr., James Mel and Nancy Webb of Hodgenville, came last Friday and spent a part of the Christmas holidays with friends and relatives here and with Supt. Haney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. King Haney at Stacey Fork. They went to Maytown, Floyd county, Sunday and spent Christmas day with Mrs. Haney's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wickel, returning here Monday. Supt. Haney became ill while here and was a patient in the Gullett & Spencer Clinic for four days.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Gullett entertained Christmas day with a turkey dinner Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Gullett, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Gullett and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stafford and children of West Liberty, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Gullett, Jr. of Hazard and Mrs. Emma Moss of Lancaster, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Otten and little daughter of Ft. Thomas came Saturday and spent Christmas here with Mrs. Otten's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Blair, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blair, entertained with a Christmas dinner Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blair and two children of Louisville, Mrs. Pauline D. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nickell and son Billy Lynn, Atty. and Mrs. J. Blaine Nickell, Mrs. Ollie Blair and Merle Nickell, all of West Liberty, and Mrs. Billie Blair's mother, Mrs. Frederick of Cynthiana.

Dr. and Mrs. Alce Spencer moved into their new brick home on KY-7 north of West Liberty Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vest of Grassy Creek spent Christmas day and were dinner guests of Mrs. Vest's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Harlen Murphy, here.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob McClure had as their guests Christmas week end their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herweh of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williams and family returned Monday from Florida where they went with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Williams of Lexington for a ten-day vacation at Fort Lauderdale and Miami. In Fort Lauderdale they visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis, former residents of Morgan.

Custer Jones spent Christmas day in Mt. Sterling with Mr. and Mrs. David Seifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Auty McClain entertained to dinner Christmas Day the following: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sebastian and Don Sebastian of Lexington, Mrs. Bernice Craft and son Pat of Fellsmere, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. King and son Jimmy of Grayson.

Boone Allen spent Christmas at White Oak with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tredway attended the funeral of Mrs. Tredway's aunt, Mrs. Willie Powell, at Nash Fork, Monday.

Boyd Brown of Xenia, Ohio, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Coffey of Dayton and Fred Coffey spent Christmas with Mrs. Coffey's father, Dug Welsh.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dean of Louisville spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Dean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Cottle.

Mr. Gay Tredway said that business the past year had been as good as usual and that people spent their money wisely for useful things. She said that she plans a special sale next week and to watch for the ad.

Barletta Elliott and Denzil Elliott are home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lemaster of Berea spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tredway.

Corbett Perry of Middletown, Ohio, submitted to surgery last Thursday and is improving.

Mrs. Minnie Patrick is seriously ill at Franklin, Ohio.

Mrs. Jane Vance of White Oak was in town Tuesday and renewed her subscription to the Courier.

Joe Caudill and family of Jackson are visiting his parents and other relatives in West Liberty during the holidays. He is superintendent of Jackson City schools and said his district had voted a fifty cent tax for building purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blair and two children returned Monday to their home in North Carolina after spending a week here with Mr. Blair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blair, and in Mt. Sterling with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Salvato and three children of Lexington spent Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blair, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Settle Pieratt and Mrs. Goldie Dennis attended the funeral of Mrs. Lizzie Kash at Ezel Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyler had as Christmas visitors their children and grandchildren: Atty. and Mrs. James A. Tyler and children Stephen, Paul, Sharon and Candace Lynn of Frankfort; Miss Ruth Tyler of Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goble and Debby and Jinnie of West Liberty. They enjoyed a turkey dinner on Monday Rev. and Mrs. Sherill Davidson of Versailles visited the Tylers.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hammond had as visitors Christmas Mr. and Mrs. James Elam and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hammond and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Stanley of Fellsmere, Florida, visited in West Liberty Wednesday. The Stanleys are spending the Christmas holidays with relatives in Ashland and Morehead. Former residents of West Liberty, they are now teaching in the high school at Fellsmere and own their home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Craft and son Pat of Fellsmere, Florida, spent Christmas with relatives in West Liberty and the county. Mr. and Mrs. Craft are teachers in Fellsmere high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Graden Walter and Atty. and Mrs. Ralph Walter and children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Walter at Hazel Green. Others at the Walter home Christmas were Miss Frances Walter of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Walter of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rattiff of Cincinnati.

Mrs. Rhoda May of Licking River was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lyon left Sunday to return to Houston, Texas, after spending Christmas week here with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Elam.

Carl Murphy of Ezel spent the holidays with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Jordan at Winchester. His daughter and granddaughter came home with him and visited a few days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Peratt and sons from Louisville, Ohio, were calling on his brother, Curt Jackson and family at Ezel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hill returned Monday from Ashland, O. and said her father, El Cantrell, was improving.

## People, Spots In The News



QUEENLY meeting at London movie premiere as Gina Lollobrigida curtsies and shakes hands with Queen Elizabeth II.



HERNANDO the hippo at London zoo shows his hide-away for tasty morsels. Some choppers, eh?



ELBOW touch makes easy turning on or off with new tap-life switch by Minneapolis-Honeywell. Transparent cover on plate permits matching wallpaper insert.



KRAMER family may supply whole Davis Cup team in another decade or so. Daddy Jack poses proudly with sons Bobbie, 5; Michael, 1; David, 9, and John, 7.

The following guests enjoyed a delicious turkey dinner at Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cecil's home Friday evening: Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackson and Linda Lu, Mrs. Lula Cecil and Nancy Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Cecil and children, Mary Elizabeth, David, Dianne and Joe Clay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackson of Ezel had the following guests for Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Jackson of Middletown, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cecil.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Jackson of Middletown, Ohio, were visiting his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackson and Linda Lu at Ezel recently.

Russell Bradley, Yellow Springs, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hill Wednesday.

Byron May of Woodsbend is reported to be improving from a heart ailment in the veterans hospital, Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Black and daughter Kathy and Jerry Franklin were the Christmas dinner guests of Lt. and Mrs. Paul E. Haney, Kim and Mrs. Gene Haney.

2nd Lt. and Mrs. Paul E. Haney of Cherry Point, N. C., are spending the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Gene Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Patterson spent Christmas with friends in Pineville.

Mrs. J. D. Whiteaker of Cannel City spent Christmas in West Liberty with Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perry entertained Christmas day with a turkey dinner for Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. LaRue Peyton, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Trayner and Mrs. J. D. Whiteaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fannin, Mrs. L. C. Long and Mrs. Stella Fannin attended the funeral of Mrs. Lizzie Kash at Ezel Wednesday.

2nd Lt. and Mrs. Paul Eugene Haney, Kim and Mrs. Gene Haney spent three days in Louisville this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Combs and daughter, Andrea Jean, and Mrs. Sallie M. Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Patterson spent Christmas with friends in Pineville.

Pet Jackie Black who was stationed in Colorado, spent Christmas here with his parents, left yesterday for Arkansas where he will be stationed.

Mrs. Hugh Black spent Christmas with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Henry and visited another sister, Mrs. Vinson Williams, and sister-in-law, Mrs. T. H. Easterling.

Mrs. T. J. Day of Cottle called on her sister, Mrs. Hugh Black, here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Elliott had their children home for the holidays. Barletta, a student at Vanderbilt-Peabody in Nashville, and Denzil, senior at Eastern State College, Richmond.

Woodrow Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Elliott and Morris Lane met Barletta Elliott at the airport in Lexington Dec. 16 when she arrived from Nashville. Barletta says she enjoys flying very much. She returns to her studies Jan. 2 when she will do her practice teaching this quarter in Linton County High, about twelve miles from Nashville.

Ben Howard, Democratic commissioner of Breathitt county, was in town Tuesday calling on Reed Halsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Halsey and girls spent last Friday and Saturday in Huntington, W. Va.

Leatha Patrick and Barletta Elliott spent Wednesday night with Bonnie Ruth Lewis at Wrigley.

Mrs. Clinton Whitt of Redwine is spending this week in Mansfield, Ohio with her husband who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ross of Lexington spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross at Grassy Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Whitt of Redwine.

Mrs. Curtis Elliott, Denzil and Barletta Elliott and Miss Virginia Longabaugh were shopping in Lexington Wednesday and visited Mrs. Ova Black of Mt. Sterling who is home from the hospital after a cancer operation.

Earl Pelfrey and J. D. Reeves of Lexington, who are visiting and bird hunting in Morgan county, called on Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Elliott Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Arrington of Morehead spent Wednesday and Thursday here with Mrs. Arrington's mother, Mrs. Mona Wells. They came here from Louisa where they had spent a few days.

Owen McKenzie was discharged from the U. S. Navy Dec. 20. He and his wife are now residing with his mother, Mrs. Rosa McKenzie, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bolin of Lebanon, Ohio, came Friday and spent the week end at their home at Florress, returning Tuesday.

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## WOODSBEND— BYRON MAY HAS HEART ATTACK

WOODSBEND, Ky., Dec. 26—(By Eve May)—Byron C. May, teacher of Carter school, suffered a heart attack at his home Dec. 8 at 6:30 a.m. while helping to load hogs for the butcher. He was removed in an ambulance from the Gullett-Spencer Clinic to Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, where Dr. Glenn Dorrah diagnosed his condition as a coronary occlusion. He was transferred to the VA hospital Dec. 20 for recuperation and rest. His birthday is January 8. Please address all mail to him at Ward 3, VA Hospital, Lexington, Ky. Visiting days are Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday from 1 to 3 p.m.

Mrs. Nathan Ratliff is confined to her room with virus pneumonia.

Valerie Gunnell, Linda Sheets and the Desjardins children are all recovering from chickenpox.

All the children and grandchildren of the J. B. May family were home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lona Gose served a turkey dinner Christmas Day to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris and Donna of Washington, D. C. and Evelyn and Henry Gose of Dayton, O.

Elizabeth Sheets and Lois Wells are spending two weeks in Dayton, Ohio.

Johnny B. May accompanied a group that included two of his teachers for a short vacation in Minnesota.

Mary Frances May is spending the holidays with relatives in Hindman.

Mrs. Byron May visited her husband in Lexington Christmas Day and was a tardy dinner guest of Mrs. Paul Holleran at 1018 Churchill Drive, where the Roy Cox family had enjoyed a roast turkey, along with the other traditional foods.

Mrs. Ollie Carpenter and son, Clifton were among a large group of guests that enjoyed a turkey dinner with all the trimmings at the D. O. Carpenter, Jr. home Sunday in West Liberty.

### POMP (By Mrs. H. B. Cox)

Dec. 27—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fairchild of Dayton, Ohio spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Perry and family, also called on Mrs. Belle Perry while here.

Mrs. Francis Lewis has gone to Ohio to spend the holidays with her son, Ace Lewis and family.

Robert Lee and Owen Cox of Dayton, Ohio, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey B. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Whitt went to Huntington, W. Va. to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Maxine Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Collins have gone to Knott county to visit his aged mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shearer and family of Fairborn, Ohio, were here the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Cox and sons of Fairborn, Ohio, spent the week end here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, Donna Mae and Garry of Xenia, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox and Garry of Yellow Springs, Ohio, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cox and aunt, Florence Cox.

Those calling on Mrs. Emma Johnson and Rett Brown, who are now living with her son, Glenn Johnson and family, were Rev. M. B. Whitt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown, Herman and Junior Brown, all of Wrigley, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn B. Wells and Reynold Brown of West Liberty, Woodrow Perry of Yocum and Cletis and Curtis Day of West Liberty. We are glad to report that Rett is improving and able to be up part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson and family and Rett and Mrs. Johnson over the week end.

Pete Perry of Dayton, O. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Perry, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caskey and son Bobby of Ashland spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Caskey and family last week.

### INDEX (By Miss Evelyn Crase)

Con and Anna Lou Henry of Lexington spent the week end with their father, Clyde Henry, and sister, Mrs. Daniel Bach.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gevedon and daughters of Fairborn, Ohio, visited her mother, Mrs. Pat Perkins.

Fay E. Lykins of Stacy Fork and Elbert Spencer of Caney were visiting her sister, Mrs. Corbit Crase of Index one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbit Crase and family and Earl Stacy were visiting Mrs. Crase's parents at Stacy Fork Sunday night.

We are very glad that Ronnie Fugate is out of the hospital and is just fine.

James Johnson of Cincinnati visited his mother, Mrs. Cal Noble and his sister, Mrs. Pat Perkins, over the holidays.

We are glad that Ruth Elam of Mt. Carmel could be home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brown of Fairborn visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown, over the week end.

We are very proud that Earl Stacy of the Navy could be home with us for Christmas.

Corbit Crase and Robert Stacy of Middletown, were home with their families over the holidays.

Mrs. Mary Meadows visited her children in Lexington during the holidays. Her grandson, Jimmie Carr, came home with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Perkins had as Christmas dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Noble, James Johnson, Patsy Phipps and children Diana, Karen and Pat Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gevedon and girls Kathie and Becky of Fairborn, Ohio, and Danny Joe Perkins.

Checked your account lately? If you change jobs frequently you should check at least every three years to see that your earnings have been properly reported and credited on the records of the Social Security Administration. Future benefits to you and your family will be based on these records.

## \$1,000 REWARD FOR FINDING GIRL

Elliott county relatives of Madeline Avenell Stapleton, who has been missing since Sept. 5, said Monday no trace had been found of the missing girl or her auto.

They said the reward of \$1000 offered for finding Miss Stapleton was still in effect.

Madeline Avenell Stapleton, age 22, height 5 feet 4 inches, weight 123 pounds, hair brown, eyes blue—missing since Sept. 5, 1955. She lived at 2300 Adams Ave., Huntington, W. Va. Employed at Maiden Form Brassiere Co. for 3½ years. Fear she is an anorexia victim.

At the time of her disappearance she was driving a 1952 light blue, two door Plymouth with Ohio license No. 5275 JJ.

Anyone knowing her whereabouts notify her mother.

Mrs. Cleffie R. Stapleton, Route 1, Franklin Furnace, Ohio, or call RE 8-6451 or RE 8-6456 Sandy Hook.

Madeline is the daughter of the late Ulmont Stapleton and Cleffie Rucker Stapleton. Her parents were formerly of Elliott county, but have lived in Ohio for several years. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kimbert Rucker and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapleton, all of Burke. Anyone who may be able to locate her will receive reward. Both her car and car are missing. Anyone having any information as to the whereabouts of either her or the car, please notify either party listed.

**Farm Labor Subject To Withholding Tax**

District Director of Internal Revenue Wm M Gray issued the following statement to remind employers that social security taxes apply to cash wages paid to every farm worker to whom the employer pays \$100 or more cash wages during the year 1955. The taxes (2 percent employer tax and 2 percent employee tax) apply only to cash wages paid to covered farm workers.

Every farm employer who owes these taxes must file a return on Form 943, and pay the taxes on or before January 31, 1956. Farm employers should file their returns on time in order to avoid the penalty which may be charged for late filing.

Any employer of covered farm workers who has not already registered with the district director's office should do so at once. The registration Form SS-4 can be obtained from any internal revenue or social security office. The district director will mail the necessary return form and instructions to all registered employers.

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## Children Of Dora Lee Home Spend Christmas Day At Local Church

The children of Dora Lee Children's Home of Bloomington in Magoffin county, were guests of the West Liberty Christian church Christmas Day. Miss Miskoley and Miss Wood, matrons, and 37 children came to West Liberty Sunday morning and gave a program to the Men's Bible class.

The children all took part, some of them gave readings and others special songs. All the children joined in singing Christmas carols providing a full period of entertainment. Youngsters ranged in age from two babies six months old to 14 years. All were neatly dressed and well behaved. The older boys and girls assisted in taking care of the younger ones, indicating mutual love and sympathy for each other as if they were all brothers and sisters. One girl has been with the matrons for eight years.

After Sunday school and morning worship the children were provided a Christmas dinner in the fellowship hall of the church by the ladies of the church.

The Men's Bible class has set aside one Sunday in each month for the offering to go to the home. This was the first visit of all the children to give a program.

**CARTER  
(By H. B. Dixon)**

William Ross of Cincinnati is visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pennington of Hamilton, Ohio, visited Mrs. Pennington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henry of Honny, through the holidays.

Herbert Ferguson and Shirley Puckett were married recently. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Rose Puckett. The groom is the son of C. C. Ferguson.

Russell Henry of the air force at Scott Field, is visiting his parents.

Mrs. Mollie Henry and son Powell were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stevens visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Henry through the holidays.

Roger Vest and wife of Lexington are visiting their parents.

Mrs. Jennie B. Blair of Columbus, Ohio, visited her daughter, Mrs. Curtis Henry, Christmas.

Anna Gail Henry returned home with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Denniston of Middletown, Ohio, visited with their parents through Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Denniston accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dixon visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dixon of Wrigley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Harper are good parents of a baby girl.

Estill Henry of Cincinnati visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henry, through Christmas.

Mrs. H. B. Dixon continues to improve and wishes her friends and the Courier staff a happy and prosperous new year.

Mrs. Rose Blackwell of Wrigley and sons Forest Dale and Hendrix Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henry Sunday.

**SORGHUM YIELD**  
Sorghum molasses yields in Clinton county have been running from 200 to 300 gallons an acre.

## FLORRESS— SCHOOL YULE RITES ENJOYED

FLORRESS, Ky., Dec. 27—(By Edna Cox Lewis)—The Christmas program at the Lacy Creek school was enjoyed by all. The tree was lighted up and looked beautiful. Each school child received a gift from the Save the Children Federation sponsor, Mrs. Bulter, and there were others who received gifts. The Bible teacher presented each child with a gift. There were music and singing by the school and Mr. Thompson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Reb McClure had with them their children over the week end; Mrs. Rue Williams of Gordon Ford, Clyde McClure and Mattie Lacy, and Gene McClure of Dayton, and Carol of Florress, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Red Spurlock and Kathy of Dayton, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams.

Mrs. Arkie Williams of Dayton who has been staying at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey the past two weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bohm of Lebanon spent the holidays in their farm here.

Uncle Henry Cox wishes to thank his many friends for the nice Christmas cards and gifts they sent, especially the Lacy Creek Church of Christ for the nice gift they sent him. He did not send any cards, but wishes everyone a happy New Year.

Your writer wishes to thank the Courier staff for the nice Christmas card.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Elam visited Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lemaster and Maude Easterling in Louisville, over the week end.

Mrs. Letta Cantrell and Nettie Sherry, Jerry and Leona visited Mrs. Floyd Lewis and Henry Cox Saturday.

The children of James Cox have whooping cough.

Week end guests of Claude McGuire and family were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Coffey and Katheryn Coffey of Morrow, Ohio.

Miss Louise McGuire is employed at Lebanon, Ohio.

Walter Easterling and Arlie Nickell, pastor and assistant pastor of the Baptist church at Lacy Creek, each received a nice gift from the church.

Carol McClure is visiting her sister, Mrs. Delma Lacy in Dayton this week.

**More Details About Social Security Told**

An application for old age and survivors insurance benefits must be filed before payments can begin," is the advice given by Robert A. Flynn, district manager of the Ashland social security office.

One of the basic requirements that must be met before benefits can be paid to a retired worker is that he must contact the nearest social security office and file an application. The same requirement must be met before survivors benefits can be paid to a deceased worker's family after his death.

"It is very important for the worker and his family to understand this requirement so that checks can be started promptly and so that no loss of payments will result," Mr. Flynn said.

The three statements which follow are important to every worker and to every member of his family.

1. The worker who is between 65 and 72 years old should file his application at the nearest social security office at the earliest opportunity after he retires from work.

2. A worker at the age of 72 need not retire to be eligible for payments. The payments may be made to an insured worker at the age of 72 regardless of his earnings. The worker still employed at the age of 72 should file his application at the earliest opportunity after he attains that age.

3. After the death of a person whose work was covered by social security, some member of his family should inquire promptly at the nearest social security office to learn what survivors insurance benefits may be paid. The Ashland district office is located at 340 14th street.

**MILK FEELS PEOPLE**  
Milk has an important place among foods that build strong, healthy people, according to University of Kentucky nutrition specialists. They recommend:

A quart or more daily for every growing child.

A quart daily for the expectant or nursing mother.

A pint or more daily for each other adult.

A pint of evaporated milk or three-fourths of a cup of dry milk solids is equivalent to a quart of fluid skim milk.

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## STACY FORK (By Mrs. Cletis Morris)

Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woosley and daughter and Jewel Annell of Louisville spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Amett.

Miss Naomi Benton of Cincinnati spent last week end here with her sister, Geneva Allen, and with her parents at Caney, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Benton. She returned Monday accompanied by her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morris and Bradford Lewis of Franklin, O., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lewis.

Vernon Perry of Fairborn, O., spent Christmas here with Donald Ray Morris.

Bradford Lewis, Vernon Amett and Donald Morris attended service at Cannel City Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stacy spent Christmas with Ernie Perkins at Cannel City and enjoyed

a bountiful turkey dinner.

Asa Lykins, who has been ill for some time, is very seriously ill now.

**CASEY  
(By Lucy E. Graves)**

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Oney of Dayton, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Oney during Christmas.

Arnold, Nora Colleen, Darrell, Marilyn, Linda and Doug Holliday, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCarty of Cannel City.

Bruce and Bill Gullett Brushy Fork, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Holliday.

Elmo Burton of Cincinnati is visiting relatives in Kentucky.

Elmer Singleton is visiting his mother, Pearl Singleton and other relatives.

Winifred Allen of Ohio visited his mother, Mrs. Tom Burton, Christmas.

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1951 Ford 1 1/2 ton flat	1950 Windsor 4 door
1950 GMC, P.U.	1949 Hudson 4 door
1950 GMC, 1 ton	1949 Chevrolet 2 door
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## People, Spots In The News

**DRAG PARACHUTE** helps slow Republic F-84F Thunderstreak, touching runway at 150 mph. In Farmingdale test it stopped plane in 2,400 feet, 1,000 less than normal run. Should aid global versatility of 'Streak, holder of U. S. transcontinental record of 652 mph.



'COUNT' prize Hereford at Great Western stock show in Los Angeles, really poses with owner Alton Brizard after being named grand champion steer.



ARRIVING in New York (and in films), bright-eyed Kim Novak has a smile for the photographers.



'FORMATION' in Kalamazoo, Mich. snowstorm finds ancient model T Ford happily rescuing many much younger chariots, with Tim Hill as the open-cockpit quarterback—not even side-curtains!

OMER—

## ROE-GUNNELL VOWS ARE SAID

OMER, Ky., Dec. 26—(By Mrs. Glenn Lawson)—Hershel Roe and Leatha Gunnell were quietly married Dec. 24 at the home of Rev. Glenn Lawson. They will make their home in Middletown, Ohio. We wish them a happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lawson had as their week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, Larry and Carolyn of Middletown, Ohio, and Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Manning and family of Madison, Ind. The wedding was on their way to Florida for a two weeks' vacation.

Rev. Glenn Lawson and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Walter of Nickell after filling his regular appointment at Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McKinney had as Christmas guests Atty. and Mrs. Edward Roark of Lancaster and Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Lawson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'brien of Artville and Henry Patterson and Bobby were shopping in Mt. Sterling Thursday.

Walter Clay and Wilbur Patterson of Dayton, O. were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson.

Miss Nella, one Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Asa V. Henry and family of Middletown, Ohio, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Henry.

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Jesse M. Roe, who is employed in Middletown, Ohio, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roe.

Chester McKinney called on friends at Kellae Sunday.

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all who helped and aided and assisted in any way during the sickness and death of our Mother Lucy Whitt. We want to thank the ministers for their comforting words and the songs they sang. We also want to thank the West Liberty Hospital for the services they rendered.

We want to thank the Potter Funeral Home for rendering their service in the funeral and also the ones who brought flowers. HAYS WHITT AND FAMILY

### S. S. ATTENDANCE

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Christian 128 including visitors	44
1st Church of God	44
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Wanda Lee Trent, four-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Trent of Gassy Creek, was struck by a car Saturday as she was crossing the highway in front of her home. She was knocked about 30 feet and was under the auto when it stopped.

The child's father was across the road at a barn and heard the blow. He ran and grabbed her and brought her to West Liberty Hospital where it was found she suffered a broken leg, numerous cuts and bruises. She is improving satisfactorily.

Driver of the car was Henry McDaniel of Cedar Lake, Indiana, who had his wife and five children in his car. Mr. McDaniel came to West Liberty Hospital.

Sheriff Aaron Lykins investigated the accident.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

By Mrs. W. H. Wells

Christmas Day in the church was one to always be remembered. When the Men's Bible Class and the Ladies Aid entertained the children and mothers of the Dora Lee Children's Home. There were 39, including four young babies present.

A forty minute program was presented by the children, which showed wonderful training in every way and a happier group of children would be hard to find. The older ones took loving care of the little ones and to watch them you could see it was a service of love. They were served a Christmas dinner of turkey, cranberries, creamed potatoes with lots of gravy, peas, green beans, cinnamon apples, vegetable salad, a dessert of individually decorated cakes, angel food cake and Dixie Cups, home made bread, corn muffins and sweet milk. The milk was generously donated by Dyer's Dairy. After a period of play they were called together to receive Christmas gifts for every child given by the G. C. Banks Circle including lovely dolls, pistols and all the things that go to make Christmas a happy time for little folks. Just before they were ready to return home one of the youngest babies was returned to its mother and father. They felt they could make a home for it now. Our best wishes go with them. What a wonderful time to make a new start in life!

Sunday, Jan. 1st, will be College Sunday and our college youth will have charge of the morning worship. There will be an all college banquet for all college youth of our community in our Fellowship Hall in the evening. It is good to have them home for the holidays and we urge each to attend these functions.

On Tuesday, Jan. 5, the Ladies Aid will meet for its business and program. The Revelation party will take place during the social hour. We hope to have every member present. Hostesses for the meet will be Mrs. Grace Adkins, Mrs. Lydia Whitt and Mrs. Golda Dennis.

After the Christmas Day evening service the rites of Christian baptism were administered to Eva Jo Nevius, young daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Nevius.

Prayer service Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

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## WOODSBEND—

## BYRON MAY HAS HEART ATTACK

WOODSBEND, Ky., Dec. 26—(By Eve May)—Byron C. May, teacher of Carter school, suffered a heart attack at his home Dec. 8 at 6:30 a.m. while helping to load hogs for the butcher. He was removed in an ambulance from the Gullett-Spencer Clinic to Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, where Dr. Glenn Dorrah diagnosed his condition as a coronary occlusion. He was transferred to the VA hospital Dec. 20 for recuperation and rest. His birthday is January 8. Please address all mail to him at Ward 3, VA Hospital, Lexington, Ky. Visiting days are Tuesday, Thursday and Sundays from 1 to 3 p.m.

Mrs. Nathan Ratliff is confined to her room with virus pneumonia.

Valene Gunnell, Linda Sheets and the Desjardins children are all recovering from chickenpox.

All the children and grandchildren of the J. B. May family were home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lona Gose served a turkey dinner Christmas Day to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris and Donna of Washington, D. C. and Evelyn and Henry Gose of Dayton, O.

Elizabeth Sheets and Lois Wells are spending two weeks in Dayton, Ohio.

Johnny B. May accompanied a group that included two of his teachers for a short vacation in Minnesota.

Mary Frances May is spending the holidays with relatives in Hindman.

Mrs. Byron May visited her husband in Lexington Christmas Day and was a lady dinner guest of Mrs. Paul Holleran at 1018 Churchhill Drive, where the Roy Cox family had enjoyed a roast turkey, along with the other traditional foods.

Mrs. Ollie Carpenter and son, Clifton were among a large group of guests that enjoyed a turkey dinner with all the trimmings at the D. O. Carpenter, Jr. home Sunday in West Liberty.

## POMP (By Mrs. H. B. Cox)

Dec. 27—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fairchild of Dayton, Ohio spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Perry and family and also called on Mrs. Belle Perry while here.

Mrs. Francis Lewis has gone to Ohio to spend the holidays with her son, Acie Lewis and family.

Robert Lee and Owen Cox of Dayton, Ohio, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey B. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Whit went to Huntington, W. Va. to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Maxine Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Collins have gone to Knott county to visit his aged mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shearer and family of Fairborn, Ohio, were here the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Cox and sons of Fairborn, Ohio, spent the week end here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, Donna Fae and Garry of Xenia, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox and Garry of Yellow Springs, Ohio, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cox and aunt, Florence Cox.

Those calling on Mrs. Emma Johnson and Rett Brown, who are now living with her son, Glenn Johnson and family, were: Rev. M. B. Whitt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown, Herman and Junior Brown, all of Wrigley; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn B. Wells and Reynold Brown of West Liberty; Woodrow Perry of Yocum and Cletis and Curtis Day of West Liberty. We are glad to report that Rett is improving and able to be up part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson and family and Rett and Mrs. Johnson over the week end.

Pete Perry of Dayton, O. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Perry, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caskey and son Bobby of Ashland spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Caskey and family last week.

## INDEX

(By Miss Evelyn Crase)  
Con and Anna Lou Henry of Lexington spent the week end with their father, Clyde Henry, and sister, Mrs. Daniel Bach.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gevedon and daughters of Fairborn, Ohio, visited her mother, Mrs. Pat Perkins.

Fay E. Lykins of Stacy Fork and Elbert Spencer of Caney were visiting her sister, Mrs. Corbit Crase of Index one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbit Crase and family and Earl Stacy were visiting Mrs. Crase's parents at Stacy Fork Sunday night.

We are very glad that Ronnie Fugate is out of the hospital and is just fine.

James Johnson, of Cincinnati visited his mother, Mrs. Cala Noble and his sister, Mrs. Pat Perkins, over the holidays.

We are glad that Ruth Elam of Mt. Carmel could be home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brown of Fairborn visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown, over the week end.

We are very proud that Earl Stacy of the Navy could be home with us for Christmas.

Corbit Crase and Robert Stacy of Middletown, were home with their families over the holidays.

Mrs. Mary Meadows visited her children in Lexington during the holidays. Her grandson, Jimmie Carr, came home with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Perkins had as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Cala Noble, James Johnson, Patsy Phipps and children Diana, Karen and Pat. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gevedon and girls Kathie and Becky of Fairborn, Ohio, and Danny Joe Perkins.

Cheeked your account lately? If you change jobs frequently you should check at least every three years to see that your earnings have been properly reported and credited on the records of the Social Security Administration. Future benefits to you and your family will be based on these records.

## \$1,000 REWARD FOR FINDING GIRL

Elliott county relatives of Madeline Avenell Stapleton, who has been missing since Sept. 5, said Monday no trace had been found of the missing girl or her auto.

They said the reward of \$1000 offered for finding Miss Stapleton was still in effect.

Madeline Avenell Stapleton, age 22, height 5 feet 4 inches, weight 123 pounds, hair brown, eyes blue—missing since Sept. 5, 1955. She lived at 2309 Adams Ave., Huntington, W. Va., employed at Maiden Form Brassiere Co. for 3½ years. Fear she is an anorexia victim.

At the time of her disappearance she was driving a 1952 light blue, two door Plymouth with Ohio license No. 5275 JJ.

Anyone knowing her whereabouts notify her mother, Mrs. Cleffie R. Stapleton, Route 1, Franklin Furnace, Ohio or call

RE 8-6451 or RE 8-6456 Sandy Hook.

Madeline is the daughter of the late Ulmont Stapleton and Cleffie Rucker Stapleton. Her parents were formerly of Elliott county, but have lived in Ohio for several years. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kimbert Rucker and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapleton, all of Burke. Anyone who may be able to locate her will receive reward. Both her car and car are missing. Anyone having any information as to the whereabouts of either her or the car, please notify either party listed.

## Farm Labor Subject To Withholding Tax

District Director of Internal Revenue Wm M Gray issued the following statement to remind employers that social security taxes apply to cash wages paid to every farm worker to whom the employer pays \$100 or more cash wages during the year 1955. The taxes (2 percent employer tax and 2 percent employee tax) apply only to cash wages paid to covered farm workers.

Every farm employer who owes these taxes must file a return on Form 943, and pay the taxes, on or before January 31, 1956. Farm employers should file their returns on time in order to avoid the penalty which may be charged for late filing.

Any employer of covered farm workers who has not already registered with the district director's office should do so at once. The registration Form SS-4 can be obtained from any internal revenue or social security office. The district director will mail the necessary return form and instructions to all registered employers.

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## Children Of Dora Lee Home Spend Christmas Day At Local Church

The children of Dora Lee Children's Home of Bloomington in Magoffin county, were guests of the West Liberty Christian church Christmas Day. Miss Miskoley and Miss Wood, matrons, and 37 children came to West Liberty Sunday morning and gave a program to the Men's Bible class. The children all took part, some of them gave readings and others special songs. All the children joined in singing Christmas carols providing a full period of entertainment. Youngsters ranged in age from two babies six months old to 14 years. They were all dressed and well behaved. The older boys and girls assisted in taking care of the younger ones indicating mutual love and sympathy for each other as if they were all brothers and sisters. One girl has been with the matrons for eight years.

After Sunday school and morning worship the children were provided a Christmas dinner in the fellowship hall of the church by the ladies of the church. The Men's Bible class has set aside one Sunday in each month for the offering to go to the home. This was the first visit of all the children to give a program.

## CARTER

(By H. B. Dixon)  
William Ross of Cincinnati is visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pennington of Hamilton, Ohio, visited Mrs. Pennington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henry of Bonny, through the holidays.

Herbert Ferguson and Shirley Puckett were married recently. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Rose Puckett. The groom is the son of O. C. Ferguson.

Russell Henry of the air force at Scott Field, is visiting his parents.

Mrs. Mollie Henry and son Powell were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stevens visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Henry through the holidays.

Roger Vest and wife of Lexington are visiting their parents.

Mrs. Jennie B. Blair of Columbus, Ohio, visited her daughter, Mrs. Curtis Henry, Christmas.

Anna Gail Henry returned home with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Denniston of Middletown, Ohio visited with their parents through Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Denniston accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dixon visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dixon of Wrigley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Harper are proud parents of a baby girl.

Estill Henry of Cincinnati visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henry, through Christmas.

Mrs. H. B. Dixon continues to improve and wishes her friends and the Courier staff a happy and prosperous new year.

Mrs. Rose Blackwell of Wrigley and sons Forest Dale and Wendrix Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henry Sunday.

**SORGHUM YIELD**  
Sorghum molasses yields in Clinton county have been running from 200 to 300 gallons an acre.

## FLORESS—

## SCHOOL YULE RITES ENJOYED

FLORESS, Ky., Dec. 27—(By Edna Cox Lewis)—The Christmas program at the Lacy Creek school was enjoyed by all. The tree was lighted up and looked beautiful. Each school child received a gift from the Save the Children Federation sponsor, Mrs. Buler, and there were others who received gifts. The Bible teacher presented each child with a gift. There were music and singing by the school and Mr. Thompson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Reb McClure had with them their children over the week end.

Mrs. Ruie Williams of Gordon Ford, Clyde McClure and Miss Lacy, and Gene McClure of Dayton, and Carol of Floress.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Red Spurlock and Kathy of Dayton, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams.

Mrs. Arkie Williams of Dayton who has been staying at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey the past two weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bolin of Lebanon spent the holidays at their farm here.

Uncle Henry Cox wishes to thank his many friends for the nice Christmas cards and gifts they sent, especially the Lacy Creek Church of Christ for the nice gift they sent him. He did not send any cards, but wishes everyone a happy New Year.

Your wishes to thank the Courier staff for the nice Christmas card.

Mr. and Mrs. Lela Elam visited Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lemaster and Maude Easterling in Louisville, over the week end.

Mrs. Letta Cantrell and Nettie, Sherry, Jerry and Leona visited Mrs. Fred Lewis and Henry Cox Saturday.

The children of Janet Conley have whooping cough.

Week end guests of Claude McGuire and family were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Coffey and Kathryn Coffey of Monroe, Ohio.

Miss Louise McCutcheon is employed at Lebanon, Ohio.

Walter Easterling and Arlie Nickell pastor and assistant pastor of the Baptist church at Lacy Creek, each received a tree gift from the church.

Carol McClure is visiting her sister, Mrs. Delma Lacy in Dayton this week.

**More Details About Social Security Told**

"An application for old age and survivors insurance benefits must be filed before payments can begin," is the advice given by Robert A. Flynn, district manager of the Ashland social security office.

One of the basic requirements that must be met before benefits can be paid to a retired worker is that he must contact the nearest social security office and file an application. The same requirement must be met before survivors benefits can be paid to a deceased worker's family after his death.

"It is very important for the worker and his family to understand this requirement so that checks can be started promptly and so that no loss of payments will result," Mr. Flynn said.

The three statements which follow are important to every worker and to every member of his family.

1. The worker who is between 65 and 72 years old should file his application at the nearest social security office at the earliest opportunity after he retires from work.

2. A worker at the age of 72 and not yet eligible for payments. The payments may be made to an insured worker at the age of 72 regardless of his earnings. The worker still employed at the age of 72 should file his application at the earliest opportunity after he attains that age.

3. After the death of a person whose work was covered by social security, some member of his family should inquire promptly at the nearest social security office to learn what survivors insurance benefits may be paid. The Ashland district office is located at 340 14th street.

**MILK BUILDS PEOPLE**  
Milk has an important place among foods that build strong, healthy people, according to University of Kentucky nutrition specialists. They recommend:

A quart or more daily for every growing child.

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## STACY FORK

(By Mrs. Cletis Morris)  
Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woosley and daughter and Jerry Aldine Arnett of Louisville spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Arnett.

Miss Naomi Benton of Cincinnati spent last week end here with her sister, Geneva Allen, and with her parents at Caney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Benton She returned Monday accompanied by her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morris and Bradford Lewis of Franklin, O. spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lewis.

Vernon Perry of Fairborn, O. spent Christmas here with Donald Ray Morris.

Bradford Lewis, Vernon Arnett and Donald Morris attended service at Caney City Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stacy spent Christmas with Ernie Perkins at Caney City and enjoyed

a beautiful turkey dinner.

Asa Lykins, who has been ill for some time, is very seriously ill now.

## CASEY

(By Lucy E. Graves)  
Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Oney of Dayton, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Oney during Christmas.

Arnold, Nora Colleen, Darrell, Marilyn, Linda and Doug Holliday spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCarty of Cannel City.

Bruce and Bill Gullett Brushy Fork, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Holliday.

Elmo Burton of Cincinnati is visiting relatives in Kentucky.

Flora Singleton is visiting his mother, Pearl Singleton and other relatives.

Winifred Allen of Ohio visited his mother, Mrs. Tom Burton, Christmas.

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1951 Dodge 1 1/2 Ton	1950 Ford 2 door
1951 Ford 1 1/2 ton flat	1950 Chevrolet 4 door
1950 GMC, P.U.	1950 Windsor 4 door
1950 Chevrolet Pickup	1949 Hudson 4 door
1950 GMC 1 1/2 ton Flat	1949 Chevrolet 2 door
1949 Ford 1 1/2 Ton Flat	1948 Chevrolet 2 door
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## People, Spots In The News

**DRAG PARACHUTE** helps slow Republic F-94F Thunderstreak, touching runway at 150 mph. In Farmingdale test it stopped plane in 2,400 feet, 1,000 less than normal run. Should aid global versatility of 'Streak, holder of U. S. transcontinental record of 652 mph.



'COUNT' prize Hereford at Great Western stock show in Los Angeles, really poses with owner Alton Brizard after being named grand champion steer.



ARRIVING in New York (and in films), bright-eyed Kim Novak has a smile for the photographers



'FORMATION' in Kalamazoo, Mich. snowmobile finds ancient model T Ford happily rescuing many much younger chariots, with Tim Hill as the open-cockpit quarterback—not even slide-curtains!

## ROE-GUNNELL VOWS ARE SAID

OMER, Ky., Dec. 26—(By Mrs. Glenn Lawson)—Hershel Roe and Leatha Gunnell were quietly married Dec. 24 at the home of Rev. Glenn Lawson. They will make their home in Middletown, Ohio. We wish them a happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lawson had as their week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, Larry and Carolyn of Middletown, Ohio, and Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Manning and family of Madison, Ind. The Mannings were on their way to Florida for a two weeks' vacation.

Rev. Glenn Lawson and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Walter of Nickell after filling his regular appointment at Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McKinney had as Christmas guests Atty. and Mrs. Edward Roark of Lancaster and Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Lawson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Osborne of Artville and Henry Patterson and Bobby were shopping in Mt. Sterling Thursday.

Wilmer Clay and Willard Patterson of Dayton, O. were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson.

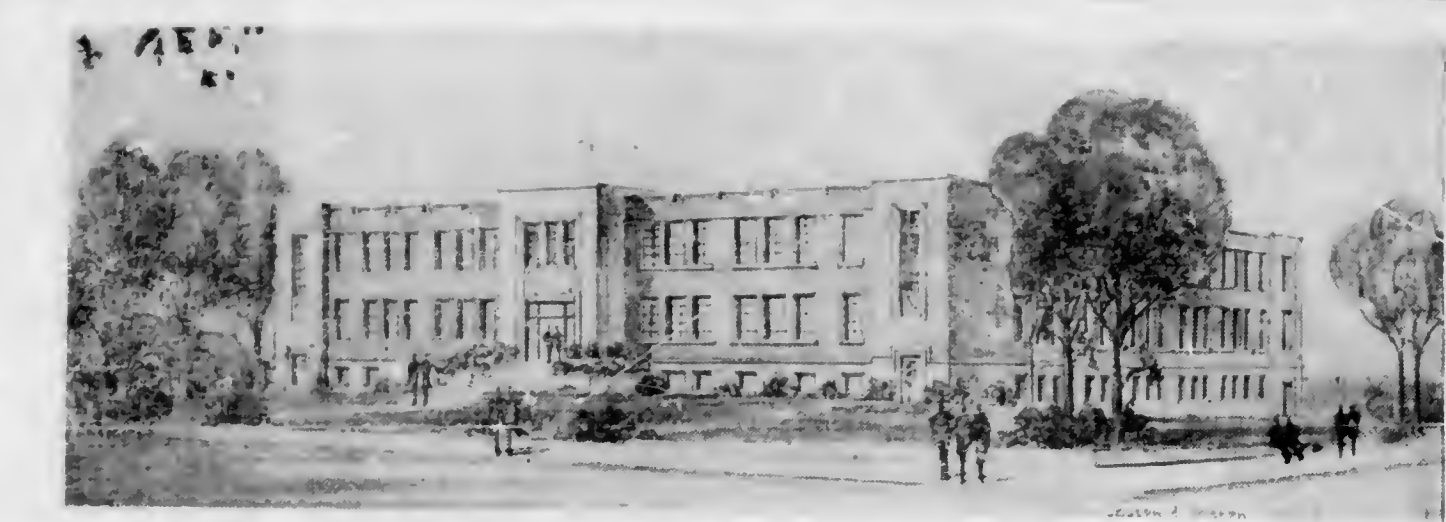
Miss Nellavene Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Asa V. Henry and family of Middletown, Ohio, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McGuire of Lexington spent the holidays with their parents, Mrs. Cora Watson and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McGuire in Middletown, Ohio, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roe.

Chester McKinney called on friends at Kellace Sunday.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We want to thank all who helped and aided and assisted in any way during the sickness and death of our Mother, Lucy Whitl. We want to thank the ministers for their consoling words and the song they sang. We also want to thank the West Liberty Hospital for the services they rendered. We want to thank the Potter Funeral Home for rendering their service in the funeral and also the ones who brought flowers. HAYS WHITT AND FAMILY.

**S. S. ATTENDANCE**  
Methodist 93  
Baptist 60  
Christian 128 including visitors  
First Church of God 44  
Mission 76



The Doran Student House, to be constructed in 1956 at Morehead State College, was officially named by the Board of Regents

last week in honor of the college president, Dr. Adron Doran. The \$725,000 building is being financed by the \$250,000 appropriation from the state Property and Buildings Commission, and by revenue bonds issued by the college. The architect's drawing is by Joseph and Joseph, Louisville.

## KOREA (By Rattle Mann)

Mrs. George Cox reported about some. She staid past week at Mr. & Mrs. Glen Combs at Sudith but she went to stay overnite at her home.

M. H. Fields able to stir & hep out in store.

Lots children looked for Old Santa but children round hear is not like those little children that had there home destroyed by far & lots in that fluted ara Do hope they be lives saved.

Valent Spencer 2 boys they bot them a milk cow a pece, Hope they have good luck with them cows.

Bin reported Mrs. Allen Wells on the mend. Hope she gain her wanted health back.

Mrs. Bill Patrick spent afternoon with Mrs. Rattle Mann. Her boy come to have his car fixt.

Mr. & Mrs. Traylor Back & boy Cincinnati visiting Mr. & Mrs. M. A. Mann, Dan.

Those that give Rev. & Mrs. J. T. a surprise Mrs. Stanley Cox, Dan. & J. W. Mann, Korea, & Mrs. Kenneth Cox, Middletown, Ohio, & Bobbie Blair, Dan. All did enjoy Dec. 26.

Mr. & Mrs. Glen Lawson from Ohio & 2 girls all in over weak end Mr. & Mrs. A. B. Smith.

Mr. & Mrs. Martin Richardson is on puney list Mrs. Richardson foot that leg on that crach betten. Mr. Richardson bin smothern but sum better in afternoon.

Those that did visit Mr. & Mrs. Martin Richardson Mr. & Mrs. Jessie Craft & they received sevrl prezanz.

## W. G. Ratliff To Be Ag Chairman For Bankers Assn.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 13—W. G. Ratliff, cashier of the Commercial Bank, West Liberty, has been appointed County Agricultural chairman for Morgan county according to announcement by A. G. Mainous, Lexington, president of the Kentucky Bankers Association. The appointment becomes effective immediately and is for the year 1956.

County Agricultural Chairmen are official representatives of the Kentucky Bankers Association in activities designed to increase the farm income and improve welfare of rural communities. Such activities include the encouragement of new and improved farm practices, the support of youth leadership training in 4-H clubs and FFA chapters, and cooperation with farm leaders and agencies in holding educational tours and field days, achievement meetings. Besides engaging in many locally sponsored farm activities the agricultural chairmen aid in coordinating and adapting the program of the State Bankers Association to the needs and conditions of their counties.

The State Agricultural Committee has been particularly active during recent years in fostering soil conservation and pasture projects. This year the committee will put emphasis on developing local programs in cooperation with state and federal agencies to aid the farmers to meet the "squeeze" now confronting agriculture.

The Kentucky Bankers Association has gained national recognition for its agricultural program. In 1955, for the 16th consecutive year, it won, with a score of 1650 points, the American Bankers Association's 1000-point award for outstanding agricultural services. Kentucky is the only State Bankers' Association maintaining a full-time agricultural department. Thirteen Kentucky banks now have farm departments headed by agriculturally trained men.

**Adele Church To Have Watch Service Dec. 31**  
A watch service will be held at the Adele church Saturday night, Dec. 31, starting about 8 o'clock. Supper will be served at the church. Everyone is invited to come and bring whatever food he cares to. Rev. Ivan Hinton of Morehead will be in charge of the services. All ministers and singers are invited to come and take part in this service.

The amount of earnings or self-employment income on which you will pay social security tax has been raised to \$4200 per year. This may mean larger social security payments to you in the future or to your family if you should die.

## FOUR YEAR OLD STRUCK BY CAR

Wanda Lee Trent, four-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Trent of Grassy Creek, was struck by a car Saturday as she was crossing the highway in front of her home. She was knocked about 30 feet and was under the auto when it stopped.

The child's father was across the road at a barn and heard the blow. He ran and grabbed her and brought her to West Liberty Hospital where it was found she suffered a broken leg, numerous cuts and bruises. She is improving satisfactorily.

Driver of the car was Henry McDaniel of Cedar Lake, Indiana, who had his wife and five children in his car. Mr. McDaniel's car was damaged. Sheriff Aaron Lykins investigated the accident.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES**  
By Mrs. W. H. Wells  
Christmas Day in the church was one to always be remembered. When the Men's Bible Class and the Ladies Aid entertained the children and matrons of the Dora Lee Children's Home. There were 39, including four young babies present.

A forty minute program was presented by the children which showed wonderful training in every way and a happier group of children would be hard to find. The older ones took loving care of the little ones and to watch them you could see it was a service of love. They were served a Christmas dinner of turkey, cranberries, creamed potatoes with lots of gravy, peas, green beans, cinnamon apples, vegetable salad, a dessert of individually decorated cakes, angel food cake and Dixie Curls, home made bread, corn muffins and sweet milk. The milk was generously donated by Dyer's Dairy. After a period of play they were called together to receive Christmas gifts for every child given by the G. C. Bankers' Circle, including lovely dolls, pistols and all the things that go to make Christmas a happy time for little folks. Just before they were ready to return home one of the youngest babies was returned to its mother and father. They felt they could make a home for it now. Our best wishes go with them. What a wonderful time to make a new start in life!

Sunday, Jan. 1st, will be College Sunday and our college youth will have charge of the morning worship. There will be an all college banquet for all college youth of our community in our Fellowship Hall in the evening. It is good to have them home for the holidays and we urge each to attend these functions.

On Tuesday, Jan. 5, the Ladies Aid will meet for its business and program. The Revelation party will take place during the social hour. We hope to have every member present. Hostesses for the meet will be Mrs. Grace Adkins, Mrs. Lydia Whitl and Mrs. Goldia Dennis.

After the Christmas Day evening service the rites of Christian baptism were administered to Eva Jo Nevius, young daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Nevius. Prayer service Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

**FLORESS**  
(By Leova Williams)  
James and Garrett Williams of Dayton, Ohio, spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Laura Williams.

Calling on Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Williams and Leova Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams and Rhonda, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lewis and Glenna Allan, James and Garrett Williams of Dayton, Mrs. Pearl Black and Mrs. Doris Franklin of West Liberty, Mrs. Mary Henry of Cottle, Mrs. Laura Williams and Buster Lemaster.

Gene McClure of Dayton, Ohio, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reb McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Elam and Bayliss Burkhardt spent from Friday until Sunday in Louisville with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. E. G. Lemaster and family.

Carol McClure is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Delmar Lacy of Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Pelfrey of Dayton were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Victor Conley and Agnes Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Williams and family of Yocum called on his mother, Mrs. Laura Williams, Friday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elam were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lewis and Glen Allan of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Lewis of Chicago, Edgar Lewis of Caney, Mr. and Mrs. Erandon Lewis and family of West Liberty and Alka Elam and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Elam, Peanut and Opal spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Junior Stambaugh of Ashland.

Bonnie Hancy spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hancy.

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**LOST**—Tree Hound on Toms Branch road Nov. 28 Black back, white ring around neck, right side of face white, left is tan. Good reward to finder. Notify Harlan Lovely, Artville. 12/15/56

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**GRADED EGG MARKET**  
With more interest in poultry, farmers in Ballard county are considering organizing a graded-egg market.

**ARTIFICIAL BREEDING**  
An artificial breeding association is expected to breed 800 cows in Eastern Kentucky in its first year's operation.

Fescue made up 65 percent of the grass seeded in Madison the past season.

## ELLIOTT STUDENT COMMISSIONED IN U. S. ARMY



Left to right, Ronnie Pellegrino, Harold Fraley, Jack Adams

Harold Fraley of Sandy Hook, Jack Adams of London, and Ronnie Pellegrino of Portsmouth, Ohio, three outstanding members of the Eastern Maroons, have been accepted for permanent appointment as commissioned officers in the Regular Army according to word received here today from 2nd Army Headquarters by Colonel Alden O. Hatch, commanding officer of the ROTC at Eastern.

They were recommended for the appointment by Colonel Hatch in October at which time they were presented "Distinguished Military Student" citations which stated, in part:

"This distinction comes to you by reason of your demonstrated qualities of military leadership, moral character, aptitude for military service, and excellence in scholastic accomplishment."

## Our European Tour

By Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ison  
Summer Residents of  
Isonville, Ky.

It was a thrill going to Europe just to see how the other side of the world goes around, to note the contrast in their way of life and the way we live in America, and check on our early ancestors, those who were our forefathers in Colonial days.

We left our home in Arizona Aug. 24, going to Quebec. From there we took passage on the liner, a lovely new ship, for France—it took six days to make the voyage to Le Havre and every day was interesting and educational. Just as we came out of the St. Lawrence River we saw the nine large icebergs riding on the waves like great white mountains.

Our party consisted of 22 people. We were under the supervision of the American Express Company and they surely took good care of us. We were met at La Havre by their French guide who cared for all our trips, tips, hotels and meals during our eight weeks of European travel; and at the journey's end he saw all on the boat at Southampton, England, to make the return to America.

We came through Rouen where our U. S. boys landed on D-Day. It was not far from Flanders Field. This ride through the countryside into Paris was interesting just to see the curious mixture of ancient and modern—a peasant plowing with a wooden plow behind a yoke of oxen in one field while a modern diesel tractor was working in another; divided by low green hedges, cattle on the green and the small thatched roofed houses made a unique picture.

Paris is built on both sides of the Seine River, which is crossed by 30 great bridges, one of which has been in use for 400 years. During our six day tour of Paris we enjoyed most: Statue of Joan of Arc, Lady and Saint of Paris; the statue of the Tiger in honor of our U. S. boys who fought like Tigers in World War II; Royal Chapel and Soldiers' Home where Napoleon's tomb stands with others of importance; the great Eiffel Tower; Notre Dame Cathedral built in the 12th century where Marie Annette, the beautiful French Queen, was imprisoned for three months before her death during the French Revolution. Also visited the King and Queen's palace at La Versailles and the Egyptian Obelisk of Luxor. It is 73 feet high and carved with Egyptian writing.

From Paris we went to Nice in Southern France. This is Europe's summer playground. On our way we visited Genoa, Italy, and saw the home where Columbus was born. This house is some 500 years old. Also at Rapallo we saw the Leaning Tower of Pisa. It has a lean of 14 feet. And at Alessio we were riding along the shore of the Blue Mediterranean Sea. Here we gathered shells and bathed, living over many things that we read in our histories of this large and beautiful sea. We were on our way to Rome.

Yes, Rome that was built on the Seven Hills 31 B.C. and ruled the world until 476 A.D.—how we talked of the old legend of Romulus and Remus, the twin boys who founded Rome and were

nursed by the She Wolf. Each of us bought a bronze statue of this wolf and the twins. We visited Vatican City, home of the Pope. It is the largest palace in the world with grounds covering 4,000 acres. Outstanding in Rome was the farm of Julius Caesar, Palatine Hill where the great public baths were built at the home of the Caesars. St. Peter church, the largest Cathedral in the world (It took 106 years in the construction, and from floor to dome is 613 feet, the ceiling is a masterpiece of Michelangelo's. In doing this work he lay on his back to paint from a scaffold for two years.) Here also is the world famous painting of Moses by Michelangelo, also his Madonna Sorrowsful at the death of Christ, and the chains that St. Peter was bound with. Then we visited the ruins of Ancient Rome—the Colosseum built by Titus in 80 B.C., a great amphitheater where the gladiatorial exhibits of wild beasts were held. Here also was where Nero committed his great crimes against his Christian, the great viaduct which once connected the King's castle with the Vatican City. And then down the old Roman Appian way to the Catacombs, once the burial grounds and also hiding place of the persecuted Christians. Here Peter was bound with chains and thrown into prison. We returned to the city by the new Appian Way, now a modern highway. It was over this road that we went by bus to Naples.

Much of the way is through highly productive farming areas which produce a wide variety of crops, grape vineyards, apples, pears, oranges, wheat, corn, tobacco and many kinds of vegetables are growing in this warm, moist climate. There were larger fields here. Many were using modern machinery and the farm houses were large and fairly modern. This was quite a change to the very small farms and poverty stricken families of the older agricultural areas, where many of the small farms had been handed down from father to son for several hundred years. True to the old statement "All roads lead to Rome" so as we

started for Florence we go back through Rome, then on to the great Art Center of Florence in Northern Italy. It is one of her most beautiful cities. We visited the two world famous art palaces. Here we saw Michelangelo's second masterpiece, the statue of "David" and many more impressive sights. No tour of Europe would be complete without a visit to Venice for Venice is romance, beauty and the stuff of dreams. It is built on 118 small islands at the head of the Adriatic Sea. Its main streets are lagoons and canals. There are 150 canals and 400 bridges. We rode on the gondola, visited the dungeons and bridge of Sighs, saw home of "Romeo and Juliet" and the Palace of the Doge Family who were the rulers in the 15th century.

From Venice we went to Switzerland, the most beautiful land of all. It is a tiny country composed of two great mountain ranges, with a narrow tableland between, studied with blue glaciers of Alpine lakes—there are more than 1,000 glaciers creeping down the mountain sides and three of these are more than 10 miles in length. The melting glaciers make great water falls which form beautiful lakes in the valleys below. We visited Bern, Zurich and Lucerne in Switzerland. Our guide told us there were 550 millionaires in Zurich. It is a city of banks and all Europe keeps money there.

From Switzerland we went to Austria, visiting Salzburg, the steeples in France and Italy. There we saw many war-torn buildings and wreckage. Yet in the 10 years they have done a lot of repair work and many praised the U. S. for the help that they had given. In Germany we toured Munich. It was the time of the "Beer Festival" and a great parade of floats, bands and thousands of people were on the streets. From Munich to Nurnburg we rode over the Great Autobahn Highway made by Hitler to transport his troops across Germany. Nurnburg was the worst bombed of any city in Germany. From Wiesbaden we took a 9 hour ride on the Rhine river, going from Mainz to Cologne. Here we passed the ruins of the bridge that was destroyed just as our U. S. boys had crossed during World

## War II.

From Germany we went to Brussels, capital of Belgium, a very small country which has been easily taken over in time of war by her neighbors. Our guide told us that the history of Belgium had been blood and mourning.

We left Brussels for Holland by day train. The country side was beautiful, gardens, flowers and quaint little houses, large herds of dairy cattle on the green. Each farm had its own little flock of sheep. Holland is below sea level, and to see the great dikes which have been built to keep the sea from flowing over their homes the large drainage canals and wooden windmills is a sight that one will never forget. We came through Rotterdam, chief port and trading center of Holland. Then on to Amsterdam. Here we enjoyed tours to a cheese factory, the house where the Flying Dutchman was born, the ancient Jewish Quarters where 100,000 Jews were put to death at the beginning of World War II—saw dikes built by the Monks in the 13 century, one was 100 miles long. Holland has 18,000 miles of canals and 300,000 people live in house boats. It was very interesting to see them in their quaint native costumes, wooden shoes, long full skirts and the white lace cap that turned up at the ears. Holland's war losses were terrible.

Germany occupied Holland five years. She destroyed 705,000 homes, 75 big factories and 160 small factories, 200 churches and 300 schools, sank 300,000 ships—there were 300,000 deaths from war and 200,000 were from starvation. Our guide expressed the for U. S. funds that had helped them to rebuild homes and factories.

By Hook of Holland we went across the North Sea to England and spent six days touring London, from Buckingham Palace to the Tower of London where the crown jewels were on exhibit, then Big Ben, Westminster Abbey where the Kings and Poets are buried. We spent one day at Stratford On Avon, home of Shakespeare. Also went to Oxford and saw their 28 colleges, etc. And then the eight weeks tour was over. Most of the party sailed for America, while three of us remained in England.

We were there six more weeks looking through Old Parish Records, Shipping Lists, grants and Coats of Arms, tax lists, census records and all kinds of records, in an effort to find the people of our colonial ancestors—and that was interesting work. In locating the old home counties where the Ison family had resided for some 400 years and records which showed that our Ison family had come from France and Normandy, at the time of the Huguenot migration in the 15th century; others come from Denmark—there were Wills and Coats of Arms back to 1475. During our research work it was especially interesting to note the many names in all the records that were those of our friends in Kentucky, Arizona and in fact all over the U. S. Some of the most common were: Priehard, Osborne, Palmer, Bishop, Hall, Green, Harrison, Fox, King, Kitchen, Watson, Taylor, Whittier, Stephens, Sturges, Cotton, Hurst, Wright, Hays, Ingram, Ellis, Jackson, Campbell, Allen, Adams, Shepard, Martin, Mason, Mitchell, etc. and Isonar names too numerous to mention.

All it said to me was—"There is a destiny that makes us brothers. None goes his way alone—All that we put in the lives of others comes back with in our own."

So on our return from Europe to home in America we are thrilled and happy to have this opportunity of visiting our children, kinfolk and our friends.

Acresage reduction and lower yields may reduce tobacco returns 30 percent in Clark county.

## Banks Circle Will Sponsor Pancake Supper at Church

The G. C. Banks Circle of the Christian church met for their regular meeting Dec. 20 at the Fellowship room with Jean Walter presiding. Reports were read and the committee reported on the nice steam table they bought for the kitchen.

The main project discussed for January was a pancake supper at the church, the date to be announced later.

The Circle will serve the Youth Banquet Jan. 31 at the Fellowship room and also the college students home for vacation the first Sunday in January at 5:30 p.m.

Christmas gifts were exchanged at the meeting and a movie of the Birth of Christ was shown, with Mabel Barber as narrator. Prayer was by Eva Nevius.

Refreshments of snowball ice cream decorated with coconut and holly leaf design and coffee were served by the hostesses Gertrude Nickell, Kathleen Blair, Aileen Long, and Charleen Spencer. Members present were Estelle

Nickell, Peggy Rose, Billy Wrae Buchanan, Emma Dean Cecil, Aileen Long, Charleen Spencer, Evalena Ruth, Eva Nevius, Kathleen Blair, Leola Nell Blair, Della Williams, Mabel Barber, Ida Dennis, Josephine McGuire, Jean Walter, Gertrude Nickell, Helen Caskey, Henrietta May, Loretta May, Lillian Lewis, Clarice McClain. Visitors were Betty Jo Dennis of Akron, Ohio, Florence McGuire and Laura McKenzie.

## GREETINGS FROM BESS TAULBEE IN OKLAHOMA

I would like to wish all my friends a wonderful New Year. I fell and broke my hand and could not write a card, so am using this medium to send greetings. I may have to have an operation next Tuesday. Kind regards to everyone here, and may your New Year be a happy one.

BESS TAULBEE  
Cache, Oklahoma

## ENLISTS IN NAVY

Lee Roy Holbrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burl Holbrook of Olive Hill, enlisted in the U. S. Navy last week. He is stationed at Great Lakes, Illinois. The Holbrook family formerly resided at Newfoundland.

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Chuck Roast ..... 39c lb.  
Wieners (cello pack) ..... 39c lb.  
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